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No. 10,393.] LONDON, WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 12, 1888. [ONE PENNY.

NOTICE.—The CHARGE for ADVERTISEMENTS of BIRTHS, MARRIAGES, and DEATHS is FIVE SHILLINGS for THREE LINES and ONE SHILLING per LINE AFTERWARDS. Payments for these announcements must be made by P.O. order or cheque.

BIRTHS.

[illegible].—On Sept. 1[illegible], at South Norwood, the wife of John [illegible], of a daughter.

CARTER.—On the 10th inst., at York, the wife of E. Carter, of a daughter.

ELLIS.—On the 8th inst., at Penketh, Anglezarke, Lancashire, the wife of C. F. Ellis, of a son.

[illegible].—On the 3rd inst., the wife of J. Fishbourn, of Abbey Hill, Edinburgh, of a daughter.

[illegible].—On the 7th inst., at Westcombe Park, S.E., Mrs. H. J. G. Gudgeon, of a son.

[illegible].—On the 9th inst., at Upper Tooting, the wife of G. G. Hale, of a daughter.

[illegible].—On the 6th inst., at Park-street, Regent's Park, the wife of J. Lavender, of a son.

LONGHURST.—On the 7th inst., at Wilton-street, Grosvenor-place, the wife of Dr. A. E. T. Longhurst, of a son.

[illegible].—On the 7th inst., at [illegible], the wife of H. B. [illegible], of a son.

MARSHALL.—On Sept. 7, at 21, Queensway-place, Newcastle-upon-Tyne, the wife of Frank Marshall, of a daughter.

[illegible].—On Sept. 9, at [illegible] Rectory, Holt, Norfolk, the wife of the Rev. John [illegible], of a son.

[illegible].—On the 8th inst., at Bex, Switzerland, the wife of Capt. [illegible], of a son.

SAUNDERS.—On the 7th inst., at Brighton, the wife of the Rev. [illegible] Saunders, of a daughter.

THOMPSON.—On the 8th ult., at [illegible], India, the wife of the Rev. W. F. Thompson, of a son.

[illegible].—On the 5th inst., at Leith, N.B., the wife of H. J. [illegible], of a son.

WARD.—On the 6th inst., at Ebury-street, S.W., the wife of W. B. Ward, of a son.

WHITE.—On the 7th inst., at St. John's Park, Blackheath, the wife of F. A. White, of a daughter.

WILSON.—On the 5th inst., at Cedar Cottage, Greywell, the wife of Capt. R. B. Wilson, of a son.

YOUNG.—On the 9th inst., at Nile-terrace, Rochester, the wife of Capt. C. L. Young, of a daughter.

MARRIAGES.

COLLARD—BERRY.—On the 10th inst., at the parish church, Northfleet, by the vicar, William Avalon Collard, to Lelia Catherine, youngest daughter of Charles Berry, Esq., of [illegible] Lodge, Northfleet, and late [illegible] superintendent of the Constantinople Railway, South Russia. No cards.

COPPEN—WILLIAMSON.—On the 5th inst., at St. Dunstan's-in-the-West, Fleet-street, John Frederick, son of J. Coppen, of [illegible], to Emma Augusta, daughter of A. J. Williamson.

COVINGTON—STARTUP.—On the 8th inst., at Islington Presbyterian Church, Oliver Henry, son of F. Covington, of Gray's Inn-road, to Edith Mary, daughter of T. W. Startup, of [illegible].

HEAD—CAMERON.—On the 8th inst., in the private chapel at the Palace, Inverness, James Head, of Newcastle, [illegible], to Christina Helen Jane, daughter of the late D. Cameron, Esq.

PRATT—BEER.—On the 8th inst., at [illegible], Kingsbridge, South Devon, Arthur James, son of the late J. D. Pratt, of [illegible], Kensington, to Amy, daughter of W. B. Beer, of [illegible], Kingsbridge, South Devon.

RAY—NEWHAM.—On the 5th inst., at St. Marylebone Church, George, son of C. Ray, of [illegible], Tunbridge-wells, to Fanny, daughter of the late S. Newham, of Bury St. Edmunds.

SWAN—VAILLANT.—On the 1st inst., at St. James's Church, Weybridge, Capt. Francis Lashley Swan, East Surrey Regt., to Isabel [illegible], daughter of the late Major A. Vaillant, of [illegible], Weybridge.

WATSON—PRICE.—On the 8th inst., at St. Mary's, Islington, John [illegible] Watson, of Canonbury, to Clementine Kate, daughter of R. Price, Esq.

WOOD—CRACKNELL.—On the 8th inst., at St. Nicholas' Church, [illegible], Ernest William, son of W. Wood, of Cooling Castle, Kent, to Emma Elizabeth, daughter of R. Cracknell.

DEATHS.

[illegible].—On the 8th inst., at Hayes, Kent, [illegible], widow of William [illegible], aged [illegible].

[illegible].—On the 9th inst., at [illegible], Holly Park, Crouch-hill, Elizabeth Warren, wife of F. Ayres.

BELL.—On the 10th inst., at [illegible]-road, South Kensington, Lieut.-Gen. Harry W. B. Bell, aged 67.

[illegible].—On the 3rd inst., at Nassau, William Harry Dolan [illegible], aged 41.

BRIGGS.—On Sunday, the 9th inst., at 16, Asylum-road, Peckham, aged 68, Ann, the widow of the late George Briggs, Esq., of the Asylum Tavern, Asylum-road.

[illegible].—On the 6th inst., at Craig Lodge, Argyllshire, John [illegible], Esq., aged [illegible].

CHARLETON.—On Sept. 1, at [illegible], Wiltshire, the residence of his father-in-law, Robert Ash Charleton, of Clifton, Bristol, aged [illegible]. No cards.

[illegible].—On the 9th inst., at St. Jude's-place, Plymouth, the Rev. Charles [illegible], M.A.

DENTON.—On the 7th inst., at [illegible], Chester, Sarah Ellen, wife of T. W. Denton.

[illegible].—On the 28th ult., at Geneva, Susanne, wife of F. [illegible].

[illegible].—On the 10th inst., at [illegible] Lodge, Balham, John William [illegible], of [illegible]-road, in his 77th year.

GULLY.—On the 7th inst., Ellen Gully, formerly of The Priory, Great Malvern, aged 70.

HENDERSON.—On the 10th inst., at Woburn Sands, Bedfordshire, George Henry Henderson, aged [illegible].

HINDS.—On the 7th inst., at [illegible], Goudhurst, Kent, Sarah Ann, wife of G. Hinds, aged 62.

HOPKINS.—On the 8th inst., at Meadow View, New Hampton, [illegible], widow of Major-Gen. W. F. Hopkins, C.B., aged 74.

HUDSON.—On the 8th inst., Isabella Hudson, of [illegible], in her 86th year.

KEARSEY.—On the 7th inst., Francis Kearsey, of Bunbow Hall, [illegible], aged [illegible].

MAYNARD.—On Sept. 10, Henry Maynard, Esq., of Oakfield, [illegible], aged [illegible]. Cape papers please copy.

[illegible].—On the 9th inst., at Shepherd's-bush-green, Herbert [illegible], aged 27.

PARTRIDGE.—On the 8th inst., at Addington-road, Reading, Anne [illegible], widow of the late E. Partridge, aged [illegible].

PRATT.—On the 7th inst., at [illegible], Susan Ellen, wife of the Rev. J. W. Pratt, in her [illegible] year.

SMITH.—On the 8th inst., at [illegible] House, Oxfordshire, John [illegible] Smith, Esq., J.P., aged 77.

TOUCHEMAKER.—On July [illegible], at [illegible], Otago, N.Z., William Henry Touchemaker, Esq., J.P.

TUCKER.—On the 6th inst., at Quarry-road, Finsbury Park, Fanny [illegible], daughter of the late J. Tucker, in her [illegible] year.

TURNER.—On the 8th inst., John Turner, of Oaklands, Wimbledon Park, aged [illegible].

[illegible].—On the 9th inst., at Adderbury, Banbury, Beatrice Mary, daughter of E. C. [illegible].

In Memoriam.

GREENWALL.—On Sept. 11, 1886, Jacob Greenwall, of 71, [illegible] and [illegible]. In loving memory.

HEPENSTALL.—In ever dear and loving memory of Lilian (Lily) Hepenstall, who died on Sept. 12, 1887, suddenly, at River Bank, [illegible], aged [illegible]. "She was loved."

LINES.—On Sept. 12, 1887, at Herne Bay, George Lines, late of [illegible] Bridge-road. In ever loving memory.

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ECONOMY in FUNERALS.—D. COOKSEY, 52, [illegible], Pentonville, has arranged his charges to suit the requirements of all classes, with best equipments and in modern style. No extra within six miles. Established 1832.

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BRASS BAND.—The Directors of the BRITISH ORPHAN ASYLUM, at Slough, being anxious to promote [illegible] among the boys of the Institution, SOLICIT CONTRIBUTIONS towards the purchase of suitable instruments.
ALFRED MACKENZIE, Secretary.
Offices, 21, Finsbury-circus, London, E.C.

UNIVERSITY COLLEGE HOSPITAL, Gower-street, W.C.—FUNDS urgently required.—Newton H. Nixon, Sec.

THE CANCER HOSPITAL (FREE), Fulham-road, S.W.—No letter of recommendation needed. FUNDS [illegible] SOLICITED. Bankers—Messrs. Coutts and Co.
W. H. HUGHES, Secretary.

THE MIDDLESEX HOSPITAL, Mortimer-street, W.—The Weekly Board make an urgent APPEAL for new ANNUAL SUBSCRIPTIONS, these having been a considerable [illegible] of late years.
The Hospital contains 320 beds. The average yearly number of in-patients is 3,400, and of out-patients 27,000. Income from all sources, excluding legacies, during the past year, was only £15,[illegible], while the expenditure amounted to £[illegible], leaving deficiency of over £[illegible] to be made up out of capital.
Bankers—Messrs. Coutts and Co.
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THE HOSPITAL for WOMEN, Soho-square. Founded 1842. Incorporated by Royal Charter 1887. Patron H.R.H. the Prince of WALES, K.G. President, the Duke of Westminster, K.G. This hospital, containing 60 beds, having been painted and repaired throughout, will be RE-OPENED for the reception of both in and out patients on MONDAY, Sept. 17.
DAVID CANNON, Secretary.

SKIN DISEASES.—Dr. NEALE, Specialist for Skin Diseases, late physician to the Manchester Skin Hospital, Author of "Eczema," &c.—7, King Edward-street, Newgate-street, E.C. Daily, except Fridays, eleven to four.

SINCE Mr. Hutton's death Mr. MATTHEWS BENNETT, Author of "The Art of the Bone-Setter," Lecturer, SPECIALIST for FRACTURES, Dislocations, Sprains, Contracted Joints, Injured Spines, ATTENDS at 22, QUEEN ANNE-STREET, Cavendish-square, W., TUESDAYS, Thursdays, and Saturdays, eleven till four. Highest testimonials.

EARNEST APPEAL.—HELP IMPLORED, to assist a poor clergyman who has worked for 33 years to enable him to meet the very heavy expenses of serious illnesses of long duration in his family, and to allow of his keeping a delicate daughter of 17, threatened with consumption, in a warm climate during the autumn and winter. Reference kindly allowed to Charles Rivers, Esq., R.N., Gloucester Villa, Clifton, Bristol, who will gladly receive subscriptions. The Lord Bishop of Winchester also recommends the case, but cannot answer any letters. Help is most earnestly besought.

SCHOOL BOARD for LONDON.—Tower Hamlets Division.—WANTED, a MALE VISITOR for foreigners. Aged 25 to 40. Commencing salary £90 a year. Applications, stating languages spoken, with copies of not more than three testimonials, to be addressed on or before the 22nd inst., to the Clerk of the Divisional Committee, Mr. S. Mather, 133, Bow-road, E. Application forms can be obtained by personal application during office hours or by sending stamped directed envelope.

FULHAM UNION.—Appointment of Assistant Medical Superintendent.—The Guardians of the Poor of the above-named Union are prepared to receive APPLICATIONS for the office of ASSISTANT MEDICAL SUPERINTENDENT for the Union Infirmary. Candidates must be unmarried, and possess both a medical and surgical qualification as prescribed by the orders of the Local Government Board. The gentleman to be appointed will be required to enter upon the duties at Michaelmas next, and to devote his whole time to the discharge thereof under the superintendence of the Medical Superintendent and in conformity with the orders of the Local Government Board and the directions of the Guardians. Salary £100 per annum, with board, furnished apartments, attendance, and washing at the Infirmary. Applications, accompanied by copies of three recent testimonials, must be sent to my office, on or before Sept. 24 next, upon forms which may be obtained upon personal application, or by sending to me a stamped addressed foolscap envelope. The appointment will be subject to approval by the Local Government Board. Canvassing the Guardians is strictly prohibited.
By order, T. APLIN MARSH, Clerk to the Guardians.
Clerk's Offices, Fulham Palace-road, Hammersmith, W.,
Aug. 30, 1888.

DEVON COUNTY ASYLUM.—WANTED, a HEAD FEMALE ATTENDANT. Salary £30, with uniform, board, and lodging. Applications, in candidates' own handwriting, stating age and previous occupation, and with recent testimonials, to be sent to Dr. Saunders, Medical Superintendent, The Asylum, Exminster, Exeter.

SHOREDITCH INFIRMARY.—WANTED, TRAINED NURSES. Aged 25 to 35 years. Salary £25 per annum, increasing £2 annually to £30 per annum, with board, lodging, washing, and uniform. Apply personally to Matron, 208, Hoxton-street, N., between nine and twelve a.m.

LEICESTER COFFEE and COCOA HOUSE COMPANY (Limited).—WANTED, a STEWARD or MANAGER for the company's new house, The Victoria, shortly to be opened. Meals provided while on duty. No residence. Salary £100 per annum. One month's notice. Applications in writing, and testimonials to be forwarded not later than Sept. 15, to Mr. James Johnson, Secretary, [illegible], Leicester.

THE ROYAL HOSPITAL for CHILDREN and WOMEN, Waterloo Bridge-road, S.E.—COOK REQUIRED. Must have had experience in a public institution. Aged 25 to 40. Must have good references. Apply personally to the Matron, at the Hospital.
R. GAPHANI [illegible], Secretary.

INDOOR PORTER REQUIRED, at the Great Northern Hospital, Holloway-road, N., to take charge of the out-patient department and mortuary. Single man aged about 30, abstainer preferred. Wages £25 to £30, with uniform and washing. Apply by letter only to Secretary, giving particulars of previous employment.

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CRYSTAL PALACE.—Admission 10.0 to 10.0. 1s. VOCAL and INSTRUMENTAL CONCERT, 3.30 (free). Vocalists: Miss Juliet Guerrero, Miss Sarah Coell; Mr. Philip Newbury. The Crystal Palace Orchestra (Conductor, Mr. August Manns); Organ Recitals and Military Bands; Picture Gallery open all day (free); Dr. Holden's Entertainment, 4.30, 6.30 (6d. and 1s.); Ballet, 8.0 (free); Panorama (1s.); Toboggan; Switchback Railway.

CRYSTAL PALACE.—GARDEN BALLET and ILLUMINATIONS, THIS EVENING, Fairy Scenes from "The Midsummer Night's Dream," under direction of Madame Katti Lanner and Mr. Oscar Barrett. "A treat which is unrivalled in this or probably any other country."—St. Stephen's Review. At eight.

CRYSTAL PALACE.—The MERRY WIVES OF WINDSOR, TO-MORROW (Thursday), at 3.0, under direction of Mr. Edward Hastings, with the following exceptionally powerful cast: Mr. H. Beerbohm Tree as Sir John Falstaff; other characters by Mr. Charles Allan, Mr. Charles Brookfield, Mr. Lionel Brough, Mr. William Pinkeley, Mr. Royce Carlton, Mr. Stephen Caffrey, Mr. Compton Coutts, Mr. Stewart Dawson, Mr. Charles Dodsworth, Mr. Forbes Dawson, Mr. Walter Everard, Mr. E. Courtney, Mr. H. Kemble, Mr. Mark Kinghorne, Mr. Fuller Mellish, Mr. Edward Righton, Mr. Lewis Waller; Lady Monckton, Miss Rose Leclercq, Miss Kate Phillips, and Mrs. H. Beerbohm Tree. Seats 2s. to 5s.

FIREWORKS.—CRYSTAL PALACE.—TO-MORROW (Thursday), at 8.0, the New Sensational Firework Drama, "The Avalanche," with gunnery effects and new features, Brock's Living Fireworks, and other leading items of Brock's Benefit Programme.

FIREWORKS.—CRYSTAL PALACE.—TO-MORROW (Thursday), at 8.0, the Mammoth Iris Firewheel, The Chromatrope Wheels, Shakespearian Fire Tableau, "Where the bee sucks there suck I," The Magnesium Flash, The Fiery Niagara.

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CRYSTAL PALACE.—SATURDAY CONCERTS (33rd Annual Series).—These world-renowned CONCERTS will be RESUMED on Oct. 13. Conductor, Mr. August Manns. Full particulars will be shortly announced.

CRYSTAL PALACE TABLE D'HOTE, 5s. per head, will be served to-morrow, from five o'clock, in the Garden Hall, overlooking the grounds. Tables can be reserved by letter or telegram to Bertram and Company.

ROYAL AQUARIUM.—Erroneous Impression.—WILL NOT BE CLOSED.—Is the best show in London. Open Every Day.—PERFORMANCES commence EVERY AFTERNOON at three, and EVERY EVENING at eight. Admission 1s., children 6d., including the unreserved seats. Ask for railway tickets to St. James's Park Station, including admission.

EXCURSIONISTS.—Notice.—VISITORS from the country will be ADMITTED to the ROYAL AQUARIUM at 6d. each on production of the return halves of their railway tickets.

NATIONAL CHRYSANTHEMUMS SOCIETY'S GRAND FLOWER SHOW, TO-DAY and TO-MORROW.

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NATIONAL CHRYSANTHEMUMS SOCIETY'S FIRST GRAND FLOWER SHOW of the season, TO-DAY and TO-MORROW (Thursday), Sept. 13, at the ROYAL AQUARIUM, S.W.—Admission, as usual, 1s.

ROYAL AQUARIUM.—FLYING SISTERS ON-CAR, from the Folies Bergeres, Paris, the greatest lady gymnasts on the Flying Trapeze ever seen in this country. Marvels of neatness. Unparalleled success.—EVERY AFTERNOON and EVENING.

ROYAL AQUARIUM.—The ROSSBACH TROUPE, Tableaux Vivants, the original Brown, Newland, and Wallace in "Black Justice"; the Pyramids; 15 minutes with Madame Tussaud's; Miss Lillie Western, the American Musical Marvel; Sam Redfern (the Black Philosopher); Wilson Brothers (Athletes); Ryan and Richfield (American Comedians); Miss Amy Tilly (Transformation Dances); Bella and Bijou (the beautiful Juvenile Character Duettists); Professor Cross (Phrenologist), &c.—EVERY AFTERNOON and EVENING.

ROYAL AQUARIUM.—Mendelssohn—Handel.—Mr. KELSON TRUEMAN, the new English Tenor, will SING "If with all your hearts" (Elijah), at 4.0, and "Sound an alarm" (Judas Maccabaeus), at 9.40, TO-DAY (Wednesday), with the Grand Organ.

BLONDIN, Blondin, Blondin.—SPECIAL ENGAGEMENT of the great Blondin, the Hero of Niagara, after his return from America, to give a few performances, commencing MONDAY, the 24th inst., at the ROYAL AQUARIUM, S.W.

ROYAL AQUARIUM.—The world-renowned BECKWITHS. These amphibious wonders Willie and Charlie Beckwith and Professor Beckwith's Troupe of beautiful Lady Swimmers more successful than ever. Twice daily at five and 9.30.

FRENCH EXHIBITION.—ST. STEPHEN'S HALL, adjoining Royal Aquarium.—Grand collection of PICTURES and SCULPTURE, including the great picture "La Dame aux Camelias."—Admission from Broad Sanctuary, 1s., or from Royal Aquarium, 6d. Open till dusk.

ALEXANDRA PALACE.—THIS DAY.—One Shilling Day.—ORGAN RECITALS, at 12.30, 5.0, and 9.0 p.m. The Company's Military Band, at 2.0. The Great Circus Company, at 3.30 and 7.30 (1,000 free seats). Exhibition of Life Saving Apparatus, Indianapolis, Miss A. Webb, Tobogganing, Roller Coaster, Boating, &c.

ALEXANDRA PALACE.—THIS DAY, at 3.30 and 7.30, PERFORMANCES of the COMPANY'S GREAT INTERNATIONAL CIRCUS COMBINATION, in the new arena. 1,000 free seats. Best artists, splendid horses and ponies, and a frequent change of programme.

ALEXANDRA PALACE.—The BENEFIT of Professor BALDWIN is fixed for TO-MORROW (Thursday), at 6.15 p.m., when he will reach an altitude of two miles before making his great jump through space. An enormous programme is prepared, including two circus performances and two variety entertainments and English opera, "Bohemian Girl," the whole concluding with the Destruction of Pompeii and a grand display of Fireworks.

ALEXANDRA PALACE.—11,000ft. through Space. TO-MORROW (Thursday), at 6.15, Professor BALDWIN will start upon his unique and marvellous journey to Cloudland, and upon reaching the altitude of two miles (11,000ft.) will make his descent with his new parachute. Please note that the Professor's thirteenth jump in England will take place on the 13th inst., To-morrow.

TWO MILES THROUGH SPACE.—TO-MORROW (Thursday), at 6.15, Professor BALDWIN'S Two-Mile JUMP from the CLOUDS. The press of Great Britain, the Continent, and America unite in describing his feats as the most remarkable of this or any past century.—One Shilling Day.

ALEXANDRA PALACE.—THE BOHEMIAN GIRL, grand opera, TO-MORROW (Thursday), at 7.0, owing to its great success. Misses Emily Parkinson and Jeanie Rosse; Messrs. C. Whyte, C. Bishop, E. Stevens, and Valentine Smith as Thaddeus. Full orchestra and chorus. Conductor, Mr. Wm. Carter.—Seats 1s. to 3s.

ALEXANDRA PALACE.—POMPEII.—TO-MORROW (Thursday) and SATURDAY NEXT at nine, Representation of Messrs. Pain and Son's LAST DAYS OF POMPEII, with all the scenic and pyrotechnical effects, followed by a marvellous display of fireworks.—One Shilling Day. BALDWIN'S BENEFIT.

EGYPTIAN HALL.—England's Home of Mystery. Lessee and Manager, Mr. J. N. Maskelyne. Sixteenth Consecutive Year in London. PERFORMANCES TWICE DAILY, at three and eight. Fauteuils, 5s., reserved seats, 3s., area, 2s., balcony, 1s. Children half-price (balcony excepted). Schools and excursion parties liberally treated.

EGYPTIAN HALL.—Notice.—In compliance with frequent requests, the ever-popular magical sketch, WILL, THE WITCH, AND THE WATCHMEN will be revived for a few days only. The present season will terminate on the 29th inst., Mr. Maskelyne having arranged for a tour through the North of England during the autumn. The company will return to their Home of Mystery at Christmas with a programme of new mysteries.

MOHAWKS.—BALD-head-WIN Drops from the Clouds EVERY EVENING, at 9.15. Enormous Success. Programme new all through. George Aytoun the Fun Provoker. ROYAL AGRICULTURAL HALL, Every Evening, at eight.

NIAGARA in LONDON.—Colossal pictorial realisation of the great falls by M. Philippoteaux, painter of "The Siege of Paris." Largest picture in the world, with original effects. Electric light.—Daily, from 10.0 to 10.0, 1s. No fees.

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CONCERTS, VOCAL and INSTRUMENTAL, from three to five and eight to ten.

ADMISSION, One shilling; after six p.m., 6d.

ALHAMBRA.—The COOL LOUNGE.—Newly Decorated, Refurnished, and Lighted by Electricity. The [illegible] Theatre in the World. [illegible] 1s., 2s. 6d., and 5s.; private boxes, £1 1s. to £2 12s. 6d. Open from [illegible] until 11.30.

ALHAMBRA.—TO-NIGHT, at nine, ANTIOPE, [illegible] Spectacular Ballet, by E. Casati, with music by [illegible], in which appear [illegible] Bessone, Mdlle. Lossie, Mdlle. [illegible], and Mdlle. Marie appear.

ALHAMBRA.—The New Ballet, IDEALA, at 10.50. The Morning Post says: "[illegible] set off by bright music and [illegible]," "Ideala" forms a sparkling termination to the [illegible] programme.

ANTIOPE.—Another Alhambra Success.—The World says: "The scenery and music of the new ballet 'Antiope' are both remarkably good. . . . M. Alias's costumes are delightful . . . and nothing could be better than the stage pictures of Fabeeus."

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4.30 p.m.—The Neapolitan Mandolinists.
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	Tons.	London.	Marsilia.	Naples.	Brindisi.
Shannon	4,189	Sept. 13	—	—	Sept. 24
Britannia	6,257	Sept. 21	—	—	Oct. 1
Khedive	3,890	Sept. 27	—	—	Oct. 8
Rome	5,011	Oct. 4	Oct. 11	Oct. 13	—

CALCUTTA DIRECT, by P. and O., from LONDON EVERY FORTNIGHT. Dates of departure as follows:

		London.	Naples.
Pekin	3,929 tons	Sept. 13	Sept. 22
Brindisi	3,354 tons	Sept. 27	Oct. 5
Thames	4,113 tons	Oct. 11	Oct. 19
Clyde	4,136 tons	Oct. 25	Nov. 2

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		London.	Marseilles.	Brindisi.
Ravenna	3,386 tons	Sept. 20	Sept. 27	—
Paramatta	4,771 tons	Oct. 4	—	Oct. 15
Victoria	6,268 tons	Oct. 18	—	Oct. 29
Massilia	4,916 tons	Nov. 1	—	Nov. 12

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			Tons.	H.P.
Sept. 21	Britannia	Capt. G. N. Hector	6,257	7,000
Oct. 4	Paramatta	Capt. R. G. Murray	4,771	4,500
Oct. 19	Victoria	Capt. G. F. Cates	6,268	7,000
Nov. 1	Massilia	Capt. S. D. Shallard	4,916	5,000
Nov. 15	Oceana	Capt. P. Tomlin	6,188	7,000
Nov. 29	Carthage	Capt. E. G. Stead	5,013	5,500

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	Tons.	Leaves London.	Leaves Marseilles.	Leaves Naples.
Rome	5,011	Oct. 4	Oct. 11	Oct. 13
Arcadia	6,600	Oct. 20	Oct. 26	Oct. 28
Kaisar	4,029	Nov. 1	Nov. 8	Nov. 10

These steamers will call at Gibraltar, Marseilles, and Naples.
Fares to Bombay and back, first saloon, £80 to £90.
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Iberia	4,702 tons	4,250 H.P.	…	Sept. 14.
Ormuz	6,116 "	8,500 "	…	Sept. 28.
Cuzco	3,918 "	4,000 "	…	Oct. 12.
Orient	5,386 "	6,000 "	…	Oct. 26.
Lusitania	3,825 "	4,000 "	…	Nov. 9.
Oroya	6,184 "	7,000 "	…	Nov. 23.

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Nov. 1	Coptic	4,448 tons	Capt. Geo. Burton, R.N.R.

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Steamer.	Tons.	Commander.	Date of Sailing.
Dacca	4102	J. Stone	19th Sept.
*Lindula	3400	W. Alan	27th Sept.
Quetta	3500	J. E. Withers	15th Oct.
Taroba	4058	A. Morris	17th Nov.

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HULL.—Every Wednesday and Saturday, at eight a.m., 10s. and 7s. Returns, 15s. and 11s.
Apply to the G. S. N. Co., 55, Great Tower-street, or 14, Waterloo-place, London.

OSTEND.—EVERY WEDNESDAY and SATURDAY. Fares: 11s. and 10s.; return, 21s. and 15s. 6d.; excursion Saturday to Tuesday, 16s. or 10s. 6d.—Apply to the G. S. N. Co., 55, Great Tower-street, or 14, Waterloo-place, London.

EDINBURGH and GLASGOW EXHIBITION.—The magnificent new steamship SEAMEW, 3,000 horse-power, fitted with the electric light and all modern improvements, as also the ss. LIBRA, leave IRONGATE and ST. KATHARINE'S WHARF, EVERY WEDNESDAY and SATURDAY respectively, for EDINBURGH. These ships are the finest vessels on the East Coast. Fares—Chief cabin, 22s.; return, 34s.; fore cabin, 16s.; return, 24s. 6d. Apply to the G. S. N. Co., 55, Great Tower-street, or 14, Waterloo-place, London, or 16, Waterloo-place, Edinburgh.

YARMOUTH (from London Bridge Wharf) DAILY (Sundays excepted), at 9.30 a.m. Fares: 8s., 6s. Return (available until end of season): 12s., 9s. Children under twelve half-price. After the 17th inst. the vessels will leave London every Monday and Friday, and Yarmouth every Wednesday and Saturday, until further notice.

DOVER and DEAL, by SEA, from LONDON BRIDGE WHARF, EVERY WEDNESDAY and SATURDAY, at 11.0 a.m., by the magnificent new saloon steamers ORIOLE or MAVIS. Fare 7s.; children, 4s. Dover Excursion (there and back, to return by L. C. and D. R. or water), 12s. 6d.; children, 7s.—Apply to the G. S. N. Co., 55, Great Tower-street. Special Notice.—The departure from London to Dover on the 15th inst., and Dover to London on the 17th inst., will be the last of the season.

DOVER.—STEAMERS leave the ADMIRALTY PIER, Dover, for LONDON, EVERY MONDAY and THURSDAY, at 9.0 a.m. Fare, 7s.; children, 4s.—Apply to the G. S. N. Co., 55, Great Tower-street. Special Notice.—The departures from London to Dover on the 15th inst., and Dover to London on the 17th inst., will be the last of the season.

MARGATE and RAMSGATE, from LONDON BRIDGE WHARF DAILY (Sundays excepted), at 11.0 a.m., calling at Blackwall and Tilbury Piers. Single fare: 5s. and 4s.; children under 12, 2s. 6d. Sundays, Margate Excursion, at 9.0 a.m., fares, 5s.; children, 2s. 6d. The new magnificent saloon steamers ORIOLE and MAVIS are now running on this station.

MARGATE and BACK.—The Last Excursion of the season on SUNDAY NEXT, from LONDON BRIDGE WHARF, at 9.0 a.m. (calling at Blackwall). Fare there and back, saloon 5s. Children under 12, 2s. 6d.

SPLENDID COASTING TRIPS.—The powerful and handsomely-furnished steamers of the CLYDE SHIPPING COMPANY sail from St. Katharine Dock, London, for GREENOCK and GLASGOW, every Tuesday, Thursday, and Saturday. For Belfast Every Tuesday and Saturday, and for Waterford Every Thursday. Magnificent coast scenery. The cheapest and most enjoyable trip for summer holidays. Note.—The Tuesday and Thursday steamers call at Plymouth.—For full particulars apply to Clyde Shipping Company, 138, Leadenhall-st., E.C.; or to the L.B. and S.C.R. Co.'s Booking and Inquiry Offices, 6, Grand Hotel-buildings, Trafalgar-square, and 28, Regent-circus, W.

SCARBOROUGH (calling off) and SUNDERLAND (weather permitting).—Ss. GEN. HAVELOCK, lighted by electricity (T. Douglas), leaves GUN and SHOT WHARF, Morgan's-lane, Tooley-street, S.E., WEDNESDAY, Sept. 12, at 5.0 p.m. Large iron paddle tender stationed at Scarborough to land and embark passengers.

POPULAR SEA EXCURSIONS by the acknowledged Thames Greyhound, the ARRAN, Captain Mason, which leaves FRESH WHARF DAILY (Fridays excepted), at 10.15 a.m. (weather and other circumstances permitting), for ROSHERVILLE, Gravesend, Southend, and Sheerness, calling at Greenwich, Blackwall, and North Woolwich. Special Trips round Nore Sundays and Thursdays, 3s. return, other places usual fares. First-class refreshments (F. Malyon, Caterer).

CLACTON-ON-SEA.—THIS DAY and DAILY (Fridays excepted), the fine new saloon steamer CLACTON, of the London, Woolwich, and Clacton-on-Sea Steamboat Company (Limited), will leave OLD SWAN PIER, LONDON BRIDGE, at 9.30 a.m., for Gravesend and Clacton-on-Sea, calling at Blackwall and North Woolwich, and returning same day.—Office, 11, Walbrook, E.C.

THE VICTORIA STEAMBOAT ASSOCIATION (Limited). SEA and RIVER TRIPS, by Saloon Steamers Alexandra, Glen Rosa, Duke of Edinburgh, Osprey, and 30 other steamers.
IPSWICH, Harwich, Walton, Clacton, and Southend by the Glen Rosa (the admitted Greyhound of the Thames), every Tuesday, Thursday, and Saturday, from London Bridge (Old Swan Pier), at 9.0 a.m., calling at Greenwich about 9.20, Blackwall about 9.30, North Woolwich about 9.45, Rosherville about 10.30, Gravesend about 10.40, returning every Monday, Wednesday, and Friday, from Ipswich at 11.0. Special tender for Glen Rosa will leave Old Swan at 9.15 for late passengers.
Southend, Sheerness, Rosherville, and Gravesend, daily, at 10.0 a.m., from London Bridge (Old Swan Pier), calling at Greenwich about 10.25, Blackwall about 10.40, and Woolwich about 10.50.
Rosherville and Gravesend, Sunday, Tuesday, Thursday, and Saturday, at 9.0, and daily at 10.0, 10.30, and 2.0, from Old Swan Pier, by saloon steamer, calling at Greenwich, Blackwall, and North Woolwich.
Kew Gardens, open daily (Sunday included). Admission free. Steamers at frequent intervals from London Bridge, calling at all piers.
Hammersmith Pier now open to the public. Steamers to and from Hammersmith, Kew, Putney, Wandsworth, and Chelsea every half-hour; to Hampton Court and Richmond daily, at 11.30.
Greenwich Park, every half-hour, from all piers.
Battersea Park, every 10 minutes, from London Bridge, calling at all piers.
Hampton Court and Richmond, from London Bridge (Old Swan Pier), at ten o'clock every day, calling at all piers.
Express Steamers Daily (Sundays excepted), from Battersea-square Pier, at 7.40, 8.10, 8.40, 9.0, and 9.30, calling at Cadogan Pier, Chelsea, Battersea Park, Pimlico, Lambeth, Westminster, Temple, to London Bridge.

YARMOUTH, Lowestoft, Norwich, and Bury St. Edmunds, via Ipswich.—Steamboat GLEN ROSA (the admitted Greyhound of the Thames) to IPSWICH EVERY TUESDAY, Thursday, and Saturday, 9.0 a.m., from OLD SWAN PIER, London Bridge, calling at Greenwich, Blackwall, Woolwich, and Gravesend, reaching Ipswich about 4.0 p.m. Special tender for Glen Rosa will leave Old Swan at 9.15, for late passengers. Fare to Ipswich, 5s. 6d. and 4s. 6d.; return, during season, 8s. 6d. and 6s. 6d. Plenty of trains in connection. Returning from Ipswich at 11.0 a.m. on Mondays, Wednesdays, and Fridays. Reasonable luggage free.—Full particulars on application, post free Edgar Shand, Victoria Steamboats, Suffolk House, Cannon-street, City, E.C.

THE GLEN ROSA, to CLACTON and BACK, on SUNDAY NEXT, Sept. 16, from London Bridge (Old Swan Pier), at nine, calling at Greenwich, Blackwall, North Woolwich, Rosherville, and Gravesend. Fares: Single, 3s.; return, 4s. 6d. Special tender from Old Swan Pier at 9.15 for late passengers.

SALOON steamer PRINCESS OF WALES (Capt. G. Funge), DAILY (Fridays excepted), weather, &c., permitting, for ROSHERVILLE, Gravesend, and Sea Reach, from TEMPLE, 10.0 a.m., OLD SWAN, 11.0 a.m.
Don't forget Sept. 12. The irrepressible, mirth-giving Sloper, Tootsie, and the whole dance are going with us to the Rosherville Regatta this day. We leave All Hallows Pier at nine a.m. this morning. Fares 2s. and 1s. 3d. on this day.

ST. LEONARDS-ON-SEA and HASTINGS in 90 minutes. NEW EXPRESS SERVICE, 1st, 2nd, 3rd class, EVERY WEEK-DAY.

Hastings	dep.	8.50 a.m.	Charing-cross	dep.	3.40 p.m.
St. Leonards	"	8.55 "	Cannon-street	"	3.50 "

CHEAP FAST TRAINS.—LONDON to TUNBRIDGE-WELLS, St. Leonards, and Hastings.—SOUTH-EASTERN RAILWAY. Leaving CHARING-CROSS EVERY WEEK-DAY at 10.32 a.m., and every SUNDAY at 9.45 a.m., calling at Waterloo, Cannon-street, London Bridge, and New-cross.
Fares There and Back:

	1st Class	2nd Class	3rd Class
Tunbridge-wells	10s. 0d.	7s. 0d.	3s. 6d.
St. Leonards and Hastings	15s. 0d.	10s. 6d.	6s. 0d.

CHEAP FAST TRAINS EVERY WEEK-DAY, between LONDON, New-cross, RAMSGATE, and MARGATE.—SOUTH-EASTERN RAILWAY.

Leaving	a.m.	p.m.	p.m.
Charing-cross	10 2	1 15	4 30
Waterloo	10 4	1 17	—
Cannon-street	10 10	1 25	4 40
London Bridge	10 15	1 28	4 43
Whitechapel	9 46	1 7	4 42
New-cross	10 24	1 37	7 20

Leaving.	a.m.	p.m.	p.m.
Margate	9 30	1 50	7 0
Ramsgate	9 45	2 5	7 15

Single Journey: Third class, 5s.; first class, 10s. Return journey: Third class, 8s.; first class, 15s.
On Mondays a Fast Train leaves Margate at 8.0 a.m. and Ramsgate 8.10 a.m., arriving in London at 10.15 a.m. The return journey portion of the cheap tickets issued in London on Friday or Saturday is available by this train.

EVERY SUNDAY, SPECIAL CHEAP TRAIN to RAMSGATE, Margate, Sandwich, Deal, and Walmer, leaving CHARING-CROSS at 8.30 a.m., calling at Waterloo, Cannon-street, London Bridge, and New-cross. Fares there and back—Third class, 6s.; first class, 8s.

REDUCED FARES to the SEASIDE.—RAMSGATE, Margate, Deal, Walmer, Folkestone, Dover, and Hastings.
SOUTH-EASTERN RAILWAY.
EVERY MONDAY SPECIAL CHEAP TICKETS will be issued, leaving CHARING-CROSS at 7.55 a.m., for St. Leonards and Hastings, and for other stations at 8.12 a.m., calling at Waterloo, Cannon-street, London Bridge, and New-cross Stations.
Return fare 6s. third class.

SOUTH-EASTERN RAILWAY.—PARIS, Switzerland, Italy, &c.—The ROYAL MAIL EXPRESS ROUTE from CHARING-CROSS and CANNON-STREET.—FOUR SERVICES DAILY.

	Viâ Calais	Viâ Boulogne	Viâ Calais	Viâ Calais.
Leave Charing-cross and Cannon-street	8 27 a.m.	*9 40 a.m.	11 0 a.m.	8 5 p.m.
Arrive Paris	5 41 p.m.	5 57 p.m.	7 25 p.m.	5 50 a.m.

* The route viâ Folkestone and Boulogne is 28 miles shorter than viâ Calais, and is the quickest route. 20 minutes are allowed for luncheon at Boulogne.
The Albert Victor, Louise Dagmar, and Mary Beatrice run in the Special Express Services, viâ Boulogne, throughout the year.
Express Through Services to Switzerland, &c., viâ Calais and Rheims, or viâ Paris, in connection with the above trains. All Continental Tickets, single and return, for the Short Sea and Mail Routes, viâ Dover and Calais, or Dover and Ostend, whether issued at stations or at booking offices, are available by South-Eastern Railway. MYLES FENTON, General Manager.

GREAT EASTERN RAILWAY.—SEASIDE.—An ACCELERATED and IMPROVED SERVICE of FAST TRAINS is now running to YARMOUTH, Lowestoft, Clacton-on-Sea, Walton-on-the-Naze, Harwich, Dovercourt, Aldeburgh, Felixstowe, Southwold, Hunstanton, and Cromer.
Tourist, Fortnightly, and Friday or Saturday to Tuesday Tickets are issued by all Trains.
A Cheap Day Trip to the Seaside.—To Clacton-on-Sea, Walton-on-the-Naze, and Harwich Daily, leaving Liverpool-street at 9.10 a.m. on Sundays, 8.25 a.m. on Mondays, and 7.5 a.m. on other days.
Broxbourne and Rye House.—Excursion Tickets are issued Daily from Liverpool-street, Bishopsgate, Bethnal-green, &c. Fares 2s., 1s. 9d., 1s. 6d.
Epping Forest. Excursion Tickets are issued Daily by any Train from Liverpool-street and Fenchurch-street, &c., to Chingford, Woodford, Buckhurst Hill, and Loughton. Fares, 2s., 1s. 3d., 1s.
For full particulars see bills.
London, Sept., 1888. WILLIAM BIRT, General Manager.

LONDON, CHATHAM, and DOVER RAILWAY. Important Notice: shortening of the Royal Mail Route between London and Paris, viâ Dover and Calais. The INTERNATIONAL MAIL EXPRESS SERVICES leave VICTORIA STATION DAILY as under:
8.20 a.m. 11.0 a.m. 8.0 p.m.
Holborn Viaduct and St. Paul's five minutes earlier.
The L. C. and D. Co.'s fast steamer Invicta leaves Dover daily at 10.15 a.m., and Calais at 1.20 p.m., and Empress or Victoria leaves Dover at 12.55 p.m., and Calais at 3.45 p.m.
BRUSSELS, Cologne, the Rhine, Wiesbaden, Homburg, &c.—Through carriages from Calais to Cologne.
GENEVA, Lausanne, and Neuchâtel.—Express through Services, viâ Calais-Paris-Dijon, &c.—Return tickets, 1st and 2nd Class, for 45 days.

LUCERNE and BALE.—Through Services from VICTORIA at 11.0 a.m. and 8.0 p.m., viâ Calais-Laon-Delle. No passports required. Return Tickets for 30 and 45 days.

QUEENBORO' and FLUSHING ROUTE.—DAY and NIGHT ROYAL MAIL SERVICES to HOLLAND, NORTH GERMANY, &c., from VICTORIA, Holborn Viaduct, and St. Paul's Stations, at 7.10 a.m. and 8.25 p.m.
Full particulars can be obtained on application to the Continental Manager, Victoria Station.

LONDON, CHATHAM, and DOVER RAILWAY. A cheap MONDAY EXCURSION to the SEASIDE from HOLBORN VIADUCT, Victoria, and St. Paul's, at 9.20 a.m., EVERY MONDAY until further notice, for HERNE BAY, Margate, Broadstairs, and Ramsgate. Fares there and back (third class), to Herne Bay, 3s.; to Margate, Broadstairs, and Ramsgate, 4s.

BRIGHTON.—CHEAP FIRST-CLASS DAY TICKETS.—London to Brighton every Week-day. From Victoria 10.0 a.m., fare 12s. 6d., including Pullman Car. Cheap Half-guinea First-class Day Tickets to Brighton. Every Saturday from Victoria and London Bridge, Admitting to the Grand Aquarium and Royal Pavilion. Cheap First-class Day Tickets to Brighton Every Sunday From Victoria at 10.45 a.m. and 12.15 p.m. Fare 10s.

BRIGHTON.—SATURDAY to TUESDAY.—SPECIAL CHEAP TRAINS Every Saturday, from VICTORIA 9.55 a.m. and 2.0 p.m., calling at Clapham Junction; from Kensington (Addison-road) 9.10 a.m. and 1.50 p.m., calling at West Brompton, Chelsea, and Battersea; from London Bridge 9.30 a.m. and 2.20 p.m., calling at New-cross, Norwood Junction, and East Croydon.
Returning only on the following Tuesday, and then only by the 6.5 p.m. train. Fare 8s.

BRIGHTON and BACK for THREE SHILLINGS EVERY SATURDAY and MONDAY, from VICTORIA 8.25 a.m., calling at Clapham Junction; from London Bridge 8.10 a.m., calling at New-cross, Norwood Junction, and East Croydon; and from Kensington (Addison-road) 8.10 a.m., calling at West Brompton, Chelsea, and Battersea. Returning same day only.

BRIGHTON and BACK for THREE SHILLINGS EVERY SUNDAY, from VICTORIA 8.50 a.m.; from London Bridge 8.55 a.m., calling at New-cross; and from Kensington (Addison-road) 8.50 a.m., calling at West Brompton, Chelsea, Battersea, Clapham Junction, Balham, Streatham-hill, Crystal Palace, Norwood Junction, East Croydon, and South Croydon. Returning same day only.

PORTSMOUTH and ISLE of WIGHT.—SATURDAY to TUESDAY.—CHEAP TRAINS EVERY SATURDAY by Direct Main Line Route from VICTORIA 1.0 p.m., calling at Clapham Junction; from Kensington (Addison-road) 12.45 p.m.; from London Bridge 2.0 p.m., calling at New-cross, Norwood Junction, and West Croydon. Returning the following Tuesday. Portsmouth Town and Southsea—fare 8s.
Through Tickets at Cheap Fares are also issued by these Trains to Ryde and all Stations in the Isle of Wight.

PORTSMOUTH and BACK.—EVERY SUNDAY, from LONDON BRIDGE 8.55 a.m., VICTORIA 9.0 a.m., calling at Clapham Junction, Mitcham Junction, Sutton, Epsom, Leatherhead, and Dorking. Returning the same day. Portsmouth fare 4s.

PORTSMOUTH and ROUND the ISLE of WIGHT.—EVERY MONDAY, from LONDON BRIDGE 6.45 a.m., VICTORIA 6.55 a.m., calling at Clapham Junction, Sutton, and Dorking. Returning the same day. Portsmouth Town and Southsea fare 4s. Fare, including steamboat trip round the Isle of Wight, 6s.

HASTINGS, St. Leonards, Bexhill, and Eastbourne.—CHEAP FAST TRAINS EVERY WEEK DAY from VICTORIA 9.55 a.m., London Bridge 9.55 a.m., New-cross 10.0 a.m., East Croydon 10.25 a.m., Kensington (Addison-road) 9.40 a.m., calling at Clapham Junction.
Special Fast Trains Every Sunday from London Bridge 9.25 a.m., New-cross 9.30 a.m., Victoria 9.25 a.m., Kensington (Addison-road) 9.10 a.m., Clapham Junction 9.30 a.m., and East Croydon 9.50 a.m.
Special Day Return Tickets, 15s., 10s. 6d., and 6s.

HASTINGS, St. Leonards, Bexhill, and Eastbourne and BACK for FOUR SHILLINGS.—EVERY MONDAY SPECIAL CHEAP TRAINS from VICTORIA and LONDON BRIDGE, 8.0 a.m., calling at Clapham Junction, New-cross, and East Croydon. Returning same day.

PARIS.—SHORTEST, CHEAPEST ROUTE.—Viâ Newhaven, Dieppe, and Rouen.—EXPRESS DAY SERVICE, EVERY WEEK DAY, as under:

	Victoria Station.		London Bridge Station.		Paris.	
Sept. 13	Dep.	9 10 a.m.	Dep.	9 20 a.m.	Arr.	7 40 p.m.
" 14	"	11 5 a.m.	"	11 10 a.m.	"	9 40 p.m.
" 15	"	1 0 p.m.	"	1 5 p.m.	"	11 45 p.m.
" 17	"	10 30 a.m.	"	10 40 a.m.	"	10 10 p.m.

Fixed Service.—Leaving Victoria 7.50 p.m., and London Bridge 8.0 p.m. every weekday and Sunday.

Fares.—London to Paris and Back:	1st Class.	2nd Class.
Available for return within one month	£2 17 0	£2 1 0

Third class return tickets (by the night service), 33s.
A spacious and commodious station has been constructed on the new East Quay at Newhaven, wherein passengers will find every possible convenience and comfort.
The Brittany, Normandy, Paris, and Rouen splendid fast paddle steamers accomplish the passage between Newhaven and Dieppe frequently in about 3½ hours.
Trains run alongside steamers at Newhaven and Dieppe.
A Pullman Drawing-room Car will be run in the Special Day Tidal Train each way between Victoria and Newhaven.

FOR full particulars see Time Book, Tourist Programme, and Handbills, to be obtained at Victoria, London Bridge, or any other station, and at the following Branch Offices, where tickets may also be obtained: West-end General Office, 28, Regent-circus, Piccadilly, and 8, Grand Hotel-buildings, Trafalgar-square, Hays' Agency, Cornhill, and Cook's Ludgate-circus Office.
By order, A. SARLE, Secretary and General Manager.

BRIGHTON AUTUMN FLOWER SHOW.

BRIGHTON WATERMEN'S REGATTA, THURSDAY, Sept. 13.
CHEAP FIRST CLASS DAY TICKETS.
London to Brighton and back every Weekday.
From Victoria 10.0 a.m., fare 12s. 6d., including Pullman car.
SPECIAL CHEAP EXCURSIONS.
Special Cheap Third Class Trains, Thursday, Sept. 13.
London to Brighton and Back for Three Shillings.
From Victoria 8.25 a.m., calling at Clapham Junction;
From London Bridge 8.10 a.m., calling at New-cross, Norwood Junction, and East Croydon.
From Kensington (Addison-road) 8.10 a.m., calling at West Brompton, Chelsea, and Battersea.
Returning by certain Trains same day only.

PORTSMOUTH, RYDE, AND ROUND THE ISLE OF WIGHT, MONDAY, Sept. 17.—SPECIAL CHEAP EXCURSION from LONDON BRIDGE 7.10 a.m., calling at New-Cross, Brockley, Honor Oak Park, Forest-hill, Sydenham, Penge, Anerley, Norwood Junction, East Croydon, and South Croydon. Returning from Ryde 6.15 p.m., Portsmouth, 6.50 p.m.
Special Cheap Excursion from Victoria 7.5 a.m., calling at Clapham Junction, West Croydon, Waddon, Wallington, Sutton, &c. Returning from Ryde Pier Head 5.10 p.m., Portsmouth 6.35 p.m.
Fares, Portsmouth 4s., Ryde 5s. 6d., Round Isle of Wight 8s.

TO EASTBOURNE AND HASTINGS, MONDAY, Sept. 17.—GRAND CRICKET MATCH AT HASTINGS: Australians v. South of England. SPECIAL CHEAP TRAINS from LONDON BRIDGE and VICTORIA 8.0 a.m., New-cross 8.5 a.m., Clapham Junction, 8.5 a.m., and East Croydon 8.20 a.m. Returning from Hastings 7.45 p.m., St. Leonards (Warrior-square) 7.50 p.m., St. Leonards (West Marina) 7.55 p.m., Bexhill 8.0 p.m., and Eastbourne 8.5 p.m. Fare there and back 4s.

FOR full particulars see Handbills, to be obtained at Victoria, London Bridge, or any other Station, and at the following Branch Offices, where tickets may also be obtained: West-end General Offices, 28, Regent-circus, Piccadilly, and 8, Grand Hotel-buildings, Trafalgar-square; Hays' Agency, Cornhill; and Cook's Ludgate-circus Office.
By order, A. SARLE, Secretary and General Manager.

SOUTH-WESTERN RAILWAY.—EXCURSION ARRANGEMENTS.—EVERY SATURDAY.—CHEAP FAST EXCURSIONS to PLYMOUTH, Devonport, Exeter, Exmouth, Tavistock, Liskeard, Lidford, Launceston, Okehampton, Holsworthy, Bude, Crediton, Barnstaple, Ilfracombe, Bideford, Templecombe, Yeovil, the Somerset and Dorset Line, by Fast Train, leaving Waterloo at 8.10 a.m.; Kensington (Addison-road), 8.0.
To ANDOVER, Marlborough, Swindon, Salisbury, and all intermediate stations to Broad Clyst inclusive, by special Train leaving Waterloo station at 8.40 a.m.
To WEYMOUTH, Dorchester, Lymington (for Freshwater), Yarmouth, Bournemouth, Poole, Wimborne, Wareham, Corfe Castle, Swanage, &c., by Special Fast Train leaving Waterloo Station at 12.10 p.m., &c. All these Excursions return on the following Monday week or Monday fortnight. From certain stations passengers can return on the Monday following the date of issue.
FOUR DAYS EXCURSION to SOUTHAMPTON (for Cowes and Newport), Southsea, Portsmouth (for Ryde, Sandown, Shanklin, and Ventnor), Gosport, Salisbury, Midhurst, Havant, &c., by Fast Excursion, leaving Waterloo at 1.15; Kensington, 12.40; calling at Vauxhall, Clapham Junction, Wimbledon, Surbiton, &c., returning on the following Tuesday only.
Tickets can be obtained beforehand, and every information at the South-Western Company's Offices, where also handbills and tourist programmes can be obtained, or by post from the Office of the Traffic Superintendent, Waterloo.
CHAS. SCOTTER, General Manager.

GAZE'S CONDUCTED TOURS.
Paris, Every Saturday and Monday.
Brussels and the Exhibition, Every Friday.
Rhine, Holland, and Belgium, Sept. 17.
Switzerland for 11 guineas, Sept. 15.
Switzerland Grand Tour, Sept. 14.
Spain and Morocco, Sept. 17.
Italy and South France, Sept. 26.
Egypt and the Holy Land, Oct. 10.
H. GAZE and SON, 142, Strand, and Piccadilly-circus.

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The directors are receiving deposits bearing interest at 4 per cent., withdrawable at one month's notice, 4½ per cent. at six months' notice, and 5 per cent. at 12 months' notice, such notice of withdrawal can be given at any time. Interest is payable half-yearly at Midsummer and Christmas, by warrant or on withdrawal.
Forms for opening deposit accounts can be obtained on application to the company's offices, and remittances should be made payable to the National Liberal Land Company (Limited), and crossed Messrs. Barclay, Bevan, Tritton, Ransom, Bouverie, and Co., or the National Provincial Bank of England (Limited).
For further particulars apply to the General Manager, 28, Charing-cross, S.W.

OFFICE of the DEPOSITORS' GUARANTEE COMPANY of AMERICA, 165 and 167, Broadway, New York, U.S.A.—Capital $5,000,000, invested in United States Government and approved State Securities.
This company will be composed of over 1,000 banks in the United States, who form a combination for the protection of depositors.
In case of failure of one of the guaranteed banks the company agrees to pay every depositor in full, with interest.
The company employs its own examiners, who make periodical examinations of the guaranteed banks.
The revenue of the company will be from premiums paid by the guaranteed banks, upon their gross deposits, in addition to the interest upon its invested capital.
Four million dollars of the capital will be taken by the banks who have signified their intention of joining the combination, and the remaining $1,000,000 is offered to the public.
A limited amount of the stock of the Depositors' Guarantee Company of America is hereby offered at 105.
The Union Bank of London (Limited), will accept subscriptions in England.
The Depositors' Guarantee Company of America.
By J. E. EWING, President.

SOUTHERN MAHRATTA RAILWAY COMPANY (Limited).—Notice is Hereby Given, that the TRANSFER BOOKS of the FOUR PER CENT. DEBENTURE STOCK of the Southern Mahratta Railway Company (Limited) will be CLOSED from FRIDAY, the 14th day, to SATURDAY, the 29th day of September (both days inclusive), for the preparation of warrants for interest due to stockholders who are registered on the company's books on the 13th September inst. No transfer deeds will be received during the time the books are closed.
By order of the Board,
(Signed) EDW. Z. THORNTON, Secretary.
No. 31, Lombard-street, E.C., 5th September, 1888.
N.B.—The warrants payable on the 1st October will be posted on the 1st October next.

BOROUGH of SHEFFIELD.—The Corporation of Sheffield are prepared to receive LOANS of £100 and upwards on mortgage at 3½ per cent. per annum, subject to six months' notice.
Applications to be made to
BENJAMIN JONES, Borough Accountant.
Bridge-street, Sheffield, July 27, 1888.

BOROUGH of ROCHDALE.—The Corporation are prepared to BORROW MONEY subject to six months at 3¼ per cent., and for terms of three or five years at 3½ per cent. They are also prepared to issue 3½ per cent. redeemable stock at the price of £105. Applications to be made to the Borough Treasurer at the Town Hall, Rochdale. By order,
ZACH. MELLOR, Town Clerk.
Town Hall, Rochdale, Sept. 7, 1888.

LEGAL NOTICES.

IN the Matter of the Companies Acts, and in the Matter of the RIVER PLATE TELEPHONE and ELECTRIC LIGHT COMPANY (Limited).—The creditors of the above-named company are required, on or before the 24th day of October, 1888, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, and the names and addresses of their solicitors (if any), to Thomas Lloyd and Charles Lionel Wingfield Fitzgerald, at 53, New Broad-street, in the City of London, the liquidators of the said company; and if so required by notice in writing from the said liquidators, are, by their solicitors or personally, to come in and prove their said debts or claims at 53, New Broad-street aforesaid, at such time as shall be specified in the said notice, or in default thereof they will be excluded from the benefit of any distribution made before such debts are proved.
Dated this 11th day of September, 1888.
MACKRELL, MATON, and GODLEE, 21, Cannon-street, E.C., Solicitors to the said Liquidators.

MARY WINMILL, Deceased.—Pursuant to the statute 22 and 23 Victoria, cap. 35, Notice is Hereby Given, that all persons having any claims upon the ESTATE of MARY WINMILL, late of 33, Kellett-road, Brixton, in the county of Surrey, Widow, deceased (who died on the 9th day of August, 1888, and whose will and codicil were proved in the Principal Registry of the Probate Division of the High Court of Justice on the 3rd of September, 1888, by Henry John Blackburn and Frederick William Blackburn, the executors therein named), are hereby required to send particulars of their claims to me, the undersigned, solicitor for the said executors, on or before the 10th of October, 1888, after which day the said executors will distribute the assets among the persons entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which they shall then have had notice.
Dated this 11th day of September, 1888.
HENRY PUMFREY, 14, Paternoster-row, London, E.C.

CAROLINE NEECH, Deceased.—Pursuant to the Statute 22 and 23 Vic., cap. 35, intituled "An Act to further amend the law of property and to relieve trustees," Notice is Hereby Given, that all creditors and other persons having any debts, claims, or demands against the ESTATE of CAROLINE NEECH, late of Uganda, Inglis-road, Ealing common, in the county of Middlesex, Widow (who died on the 7th day of April, 1888, and whose will was proved by Neve Lewis Hart, Esquire, the Executor therein named, in the Principal Registry of the Probate Division of her Majesty's High Court of Justice, on the 24th day of May, 1888) are hereby required to send particulars in writing of their debts, claims, or demands, to us, the undersigned, as solicitors to the said Executor, on or before the 12th day of November, 1888; and Notice is Hereby Given that, at the expiration of that time, the said Executor will proceed to distribute the assets of the said testatrix among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the debts, claims, and demands of which he shall then have had notice, and that he will not be liable for the assets or any part thereof, so distributed, to any person or persons of whose debt, claim, or demand he shall not then have had notice.
Dated this 11th day of September, 1888.
LAST and SONS, Albert-buildings, 49, Queen Victoria-street, London, E.C., Solicitors to the Executor.

INDIAN MEDICAL SERVICE.—India Office, Sept. 10, 1888.—An EXAMINATION for 10 appointments as SURGEON in her Majesty's Indian Medical Service will be held in London in February, 1889.
Copies of the regulations for the examination, with information regarding the pay and retiring allowances, &c., of Indian medical officers, may be obtained from the Military Secretary, India Office, London, S.W.
The exact date of the examination will be announced hereafter.
ALLEN JOHNSON, Lieutenant-General, Military Secretary.

EMPIRE OF BRAZIL.
MACAHÉ and CAMPOS RAILWAY COMPANY.—ISSUE of £800,000 FIVE PER CENT. DEBENTURES, secured by a first mortgage on the whole of the existing property of the company, duly registered according to the laws of Brazil, in the names of Louis Cohen and Sons and the Banco Internacional of Brazil, as trustees for the debenture holders.
The debentures bear interest at 5 per cent. per annum, payable on the 1st January and 1st July in each year in sterling in London, and are redeemable at par within 37 years by an accumulative sinking fund of 1 per cent. per annum, operating by annual drawings.
The first coupon for six months' interest will be payable 1st January, 1889, and the first drawing will take place in May, 1889. The debentures so drawn will be payable on the 1st July following.
The company reserves to itself the right to increase the sinking fund in any one or more years, on giving not less than six months' notice, prior to the period of the annual drawings.
Price of issue 94 per cent.
Messrs. Louis Cohen and Sons are prepared to receive subscriptions for the above debentures at the price of 94 per cent., payable by instalments as follows:
£5 per cent. on application.
£15 " on allotment.
£25 " 10th October.
£25 " 8th November.
£24 " 6th December.
£94
Payment may be made in full on any Tuesday, under discount at the rate of 3 per cent. per annum.
The Macahé and Campos Railway Company was founded under the law of the Province of Rio de Janeiro, of the 10th of November, 1869, and has subsequently obtained the necessary powers for the extensions.
The Macahé and Campos line connects the important city of Macahé and its adjacent port of Imbetiba with the city of Campos, the terminus of the Campos and Carangola Railway. The Macahé and Campos Company also own the neighbouring line of San Antonio de Padua, and the piers and breakwaters constituting the port of Imbetiba. The total mileage comprised in the mortgage on which the present debentures are secured is 190 kilometres, or about 118 miles of railway finished and equipped, and furnished with nineteen stations.
The object of the present issue is to pay off debts and liabilities of the company, and thus not only to effect a considerable saving in the rate of interest, but also permanently to reduce the company's fixed charges. The debentures now issued are specially secured by a first mortgage on the whole of the existing property of the company, which has been registered in Brazil in the names of Louis Cohen and Sons, and the Banco Internacional of Brazil, as trustees for the bondholders, and the company has acknowledged these debentures by deed as a privileged debt.
The share capital of the company is 9,700:000$000, or about £1,000,000, fully paid-up. The past balance-sheets of the company show that the net income on the Macahé and Campos sections of the line has risen since the first opening in 1876-77 from [illegible], or £31,270, to about £52,000 in 1885-86 and £55,000 in 1886-87.
The San Antonio de Padua section has only been working since 1884-85, and the net average revenue has been about £12,000. The balance of the company's revenue is obtained from the working of the line of river steamers.
A memorandum from the President of the company accompanies the prospectus, showing:
That there has been already expended on the properties now mortgaged for £800,000 a sum of [illegible], or £1,801,744, and that the average net annual earnings for the past three years—namely, since the completion and acquisition of the San Antonio de Padua line—have been [illegible], equal at the exchange of 24d. to £65,060, or at the present exchange of 25d. to £69,[illegible]
Whereas the charge for interest and sinking fund on the present loan will amount to 48,000
Leaving a surplus of £21,[illegible]
That the dividend on the paid-up share capital during the past two years has been at the rate of 3 per cent. per annum.
And that the necessary surveys have been already made for constructing the contemplated San Fidelis line, joining the two sections of line now owned by the Macahé and Campos Company.
Application must be made on the annexed form, and lodged at the office of Messrs. Louis Cohen and Sons, with a deposit of 5 per cent. on the sum applied for.
Where no allotment is made the deposit will be returned in full. In case a less number of debentures are allotted than are applied for the surplus of the deposit will be first applied towards payment of the amount due on allotment, and any balance will be returned to the applicant.
In default of payment of the respective instalments at their due dates, all previous payments will be liable to forfeiture.
Scrip certificates to bearer will be issued against allotment letters, and exchanged for the debentures as soon as possible after all the instalments are paid.
The subscription list will be opened on 12th September, and closed on or before 14th September.
Prospectuses and forms of application may be obtained of Messrs. Louis Cohen and Sons, 31, Throgmorton-street, E.C., by whom subscriptions will be received.
31, Throgmorton-street, London, E.C., 11th September, 1888.

FORM OF APPLICATION.
Messrs. Louis Cohen and Sons, London.
request that you will allot to £ say pounds nominal capital of the above loan, on which enclose the requisite deposit of 5 per cent., or £ , and agree to accept that amount or any less sum that may be allotted to , and to pay the balance of such allotment according to the conditions of your prospectus dated 11th September, 1888.
Signature ……………………………
Name in full ……………………………
Address ……………………………
Date September, 1888.

ST. THOMAS'S HOSPITAL MEDICAL SCHOOL, Albert Embankment, London, S.E.
The WINTER SESSION of 1888-89 will commence on Oct. 1, when an introductory address will be delivered by Dr. Cullingworth, at three p.m.
Two entrance science scholarships of 125 guineas and £50 respectively, open to all first-year students, will be offered for competition. The examination will be held on Sept. 26, 27, and 28, and the subjects will be chemistry and physics, with either botany or zoology, at the option of candidates.
Special classes are held throughout the year for the "Preliminary Scientific" and "Intermediate M.B." examinations of the University of London.
An additional laboratory for the teaching of advanced physiology has been recently provided.
All hospital appointments are open to students without extra charge.
Scholarships and money prizes of considerable value are awarded at the sessional examinations, as also several medals.
The fees may be paid in one sum or by instalments. Entries may be made to lectures or to hospital practice, and special arrangements are made for students entering in their second or subsequent years; also for dental students and for qualified practitioners.
Medical practitioners, clergymen, and private families residing in the neighbourhood receive students for residence and supervision, and a register of approved lodgings is kept in the secretary's office.
Prospectuses and all particulars may be obtained from the Medical Secretary, Mr. George Rendle.
E. NETTLESHIP, Dean.

GREAT WESTERN RAILWAY.—The Directors of this Company are prepared to receive TENDERS for the SUPPLY of the undermentioned STORES, from Nov. 1 next to Oct. 31, 1889:
1. Fire bricks, fire clay, cement, grindstones, drain pipes, slates and lime.
2. Glass and lamps.
3. Dry salteries.
4. Oils, paints, and varnishes.
5. Carpenters' work, office furniture, gates, fencing, and telegraph poles.
6. Cotton waste and lamp cotton.
7. Tin ware, block, bar, and sheet tin, solder, zinc, lead, antimony-regulus, and Babbitt's metal.
8, 9, 10. Telegraph wire, instruments, and materials.
11. Brooms, brushes, painters' tools, baskets, hampers, bungs, corks, and sponge.
12. Rope, twine, canvas, sacking, flannel, coir mats, coir matting, and floor cloth.
13. Iron and copper rivets, coach screws, carriage bolts, brass, iron, and copper tubes, steel, files, and chain.
14, 15, 16. Ironmongery and hardware.
17. Leather, and leather and indiarubber goods.
18, 19. Carriage furniture and trimmings.
20. Gasfittings and locking gear pipe.
21. Permanent way fittings.
Samples and patterns may be seen on and after Monday, the 17th inst., at the Office of the Storekeeper, Paddington Station.
Specifications and Forms of Tender (upon which alone tenders can be received) may be obtained at the Office of the Storekeeper, at the Swindon or Paddington Stations.
Tenders, addressed to the undersigned, sealed, and marked outside, "Tender for Stores," will be received on or before Monday, the 1st proximo.
The Directors do not bind themselves to accept the lowest or any tender.
J. D. HIGGINS, Secretary.
Paddington Station, London, Sept. 10, 1888.

WEST LONDON SCHOOL DISTRICT.—Contracts for Supplies.—The Board of Management are prepared to receive TENDERS for the SUPPLY of such quantities of PROVISIONS, &c., as may be required for use in the District School, situate at Ashford, near Staines, Middlesex, from Oct. 6 to March 28 next inclusive, viz.: Meat, flour, grocery, butter, cheesemongery, oilman's goods, clothing and materials, drapery, boots and shoes, crockery, brooms and brushes, hay and straw; also Tenders for the supply of potatoes for 12 months from Oct. 1. Samples of the clothing, drapery, boots, groceries, &c., can be seen on applying to the Superintendent of the School. Tenders must be made on the printed form, to be obtained at my office, or will be sent by post on receipt of stamped directed foolscap envelope, together with the estimated quantities of each article required. The Tenders must be sealed, addressed to the Managers, and sent in not later than twelve o'clock on Friday, the 21st inst. The Managers do not bind themselves to accept the lowest or any tender.
CHAS. D. HUME, Clerk to the Managers.
Ashford, Staines, Middlesex, Sept. 7, 1888.

WEST LONDON SCHOOL DISTRICT.—Contract for Coals.—The Board of Management are prepared to receive TENDERS for the SUPPLY of Griff or Hucknall Steam, Clay Cross House, and New Pelton and Cannel Gas COAL, for use in the District School at Ashford, near Staines, Middlesex, for 12 months from Oct. 1 next. The coal to be delivered in trucks at the Ashford Station of the L. and S.-W. Railway. Tenders must be made on the printed form, to be obtained at my office, which will be supplied with the estimated quantities required. The form will be posted on receipt of a stamped envelope. The Tenders, addressed to the Managers, must be sent in not later than twelve o'clock on Friday, the 21st inst. The Managers do not bind themselves to accept the lowest or any tender, and reserve to themselves the right of accepting a tender for either description of coal.
CHAS. D. HUME, Clerk to the Managers.
Ashford, Staines, Sept. 7, 1888.

HENDON UNION.—Contracts for Provisions, &c. The Guardians will meet at the Red Hill Workhouse, near Edgware, at two p.m., on Thursday, Sept. 20 inst., to open TENDERS for the SUPPLY of the following ARTICLES to the Workhouse and Schools, near Edgware, for 26 weeks from Sept. 29 to March 30, 1889, viz.: For Meat, bread, flour, potatoes, grocery, cheesemongery, soap, oilman's goods, maltman's goods, ale and porter, linen and woollen drapery, tailoring, boots, coals, best furnace coke, grains, hay, straw, sweeping the chimneys at the warehouse and schools, and for the burial of the poor. Samples will be required of rice, oatmeal, cocoa, soap, peas, sugar, butter, margarine, cheese, hay, and linen and woollen drapery. Security to be given if required for the performance of the contract. The guardians also require tenders for the supply of bread and coals at the labour yard and parish offices, 4, Salusbury-road, Kilburn. Sealed tenders, with samples of the articles before-mentioned, must be delivered or sent post free, marked "Tender for ——," and addressed to the chairman and board of guardians, Redhill Workhouse, Edgware, not later than Wednesday, Sept. 19 inst. The guardians do not bind themselves to accept the lowest or any tender. Forms of tender and contract, which alone can be received, containing full particulars and conditions, and estimates of quantities required, may be had on application at my office.
W. A. TOOTELL, Clerk to the Guardians, Edgware.
Dated Sept. 6, 1888.

CAMBERWELL, Surrey.—Parish Contracts.—The Guardians of the Poor of this parish Hereby Give Notice that they will be prepared to receive, at a meeting of their Board on Sept. 17 inst., TENDERS for the following, viz.: FLOUR, meat, cheesemongery, grocery, milk, oils, fish, potatoes, and greengrocery for the ensuing six months; and maltman's and oilman's goods, soap, brushes and turnery, boots and shoes, leather and grindery, clothes, linendrapery, woollen drapery, haberdashery, hosiery, printing, &c. [illegible]

FULHAM UNION.—Contracts for Provisions.—[illegible]

POPLAR UNION.—The Guardians of the above Union will [illegible]

LECTURES on ASTRONOMY, by Mr. R. A. PROCTOR, at ST. JAMES'S HALL, on MONDAY EVENINGS [illegible]

METROPOLITAN TABERNACLE.—TO-NIGHT, [illegible]

MUTUAL LOAN FUND ASSOCIATION (Limited) [illegible]

MONEY promptly ADVANCED [illegible]

ONE HUNDRED POUNDS A YEAR for every [illegible]

TO INVENTORS.—PATENTS for INVENTIONS [illegible]

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I AM NOW FORMING, at the request of my clients, sundry POOLS for dealing in stocks and shares. My method is as follows: I send out to my clients two or three days before I commence the pool an advice of what particular stock the pool is to be formed for. When I open any stock for a pool I send out to every subscriber the same day a card advising him at what price the stock is opened, so that they can follow the course of the shares in the daily papers. I do not say, "Send me your money and I will tell you the stock," as I am well aware that to such a request I could tell them anything. I inform my clients previously what the pool is going to be for, and they can then use their own discretion as to joining. When a pool is closed they are immediately advised in like manner. During the last seven weeks I have formed seven large pools, and of these two have been already closed at good profits [illegible]

MONEY MARKET.

TUESDAY EVENING.

Rates in the discount market are firmer, the quotation for three months' bills being 2¾, 3 per cent. Some of the Indian banks paid 3⅛ for four and six months' drafts to arrive next week, and a fraction less for three months'. Owing to the payment of the loan instalments previously mentioned short advances were in request at one period at 2½ per cent.; but the closing rate was not higher than 1½. Money for a week was quoted 2½. The leading joint-stock institutions obtained 3½, 4 per cent. for their Stock Exchange loans, against 3¼, ½ last time. Nearly £80,000 in gold was sent into the Bank from Melbourne and Paris, and £50,000 was withdrawn for Portugal. It is stated that a large amount will be required to-morrow for South America. The total now *en route* from Australia is £165,000, the bulk of which is due in about a fortnight. There is still a good demand for money in Berlin, and the outside rate of discount has risen to 2 per cent. This is, however, 1 below the charge of the Imperial Bank. The comparatively high terms current in Austria and Hungary are having some influence upon the German market, apart from the heavy absorption of new stocks for some time past.

On the Stock Exchange dealers were partly occupied with the settlement, which began this morning. Rates of continuation were nearly all up, yet the markets further advanced, purchases being made in view of a still higher level of prices. The feeling is now strongly optimistic, the satisfactory political outlook and the improvement in trade completely negativing the effect of a higher value of money. Home railways were in prominent demand, and Brighton "A," Great Eastern, and North-Eastern rose about 1½ per cent. each. Midland, Great Western, Chatham Preference, and North-Western also improved about ½, and some of the other lines ¼ to ½. Carrying-over terms were less onerous than in other departments by reason of the small supply of stock. North British was a little better; the dividend on this security, which, according to the market estimate, will be at the rate of about 4 per cent. per annum for the half-year, is expected to be shortly notified. In spite of the increased charges for continuing speculative accounts, amounting in some cases to as much as 6 per cent., American railroads were bought, and closed at an almost general rise. Milwaukees were dealt in at one time at 72, and left off at 73½, or ⅞ up on the day. An improvement occurred in Central Pacifics, Denvers, Eries, Lake Shores, Atlantic Firsts, Ohios, and Union Pacifics. Grand Trunks opened at a fall of about 2 per cent., owing to the statement that a tax may be levied in the States on Canadian railway cars, but the last prices showed a partial recovery. Compared with yesterday, the relapse in the Guaranteed and Preferences ranged from ½ to nearly 1½ per cent. Mexican (Vera Cruz) stocks receded upon a confirmation of the news of damage to the company's bridges, though the final quotations exhibited little change.

Foreign Government bonds, on the whole, were steady. A good demand prevailed for Ecuador, at a rise of 1½ per cent. Argentine Hard Dollars, Buenos Ayres, Greek, Hungarian, Peruvian, Uruguayan, and Venezuelan improved, while Egyptian, Mexican, Spanish, and Turkish declined. As regards miscellaneous shares, Bryant and May, Hyderabad (Deccan), Hudson's Bay, and South African Exploration advanced. Brewery securities were strong, with a small supply of stock, especially of Guinness's, for the loan of which a small premium was paid. The inquiry extended to Anglo-American cables, it being understood that the number of messages between England and the States is well maintained at the 1s tariff. London General Omnibus fell 4 per cent. A large amount of business was done in diamond mines, and De Beers rose fully 1, although the "contango" was equal to 12 per cent. per annum. Kimberley Central and Jagersfontein were likewise in request, but copper shares scarcely varied.

French gold coin worth £17,000 and 30,000 sovereigns from Australia were received at the Bank, and 50,000 sovereigns were taken out for Lisbon.

There is still an active demand for bar silver, partly, it is understood, for a very exceptional quarter—namely, Russia. The price accordingly experienced a fresh rise of ⅛d to 42⅞d per ounce. These operations may be to some extent connected with large shipments of wheat from Russian ports. Mexican dollars were quoted 41⅞d. Bombay and Calcutta transfers were 1-16d higher, at 1s 4 5-16d. Four and a Half per Cent. Rupee Paper rose ⅛, to 72¼, ⅜, and the Four per Cents. ⅛, to 68⅝, 69.

A special allotment of bills on Bombay, to the amount of £30,000, at 1s 4⅜d, has been made by the India Council, or a further 1-32d higher.

Continental Bourses showed an uncertain tendency. At Berlin, Egyptian Unified, Russian, Italian, Lombardo, and Mexican receded, but Turkish and Austrian Credit were better. The rouble advanced 1½. In Paris an improvement occurred in Rio Tinto, Greek, Crédit Foncier, Ottoman Bank, and Panama Canal, while Suez and Portuguese receded. The Three per Cent. Rentes fell 10c, to 84f 37½c, and the Four and a Half per Cents. 7½c, to 105f 97½c. Exchange on London (cheques) remained at 25f 42c.

On 'Change a decline was reported in rates on Germany, Austria, and Italy. The Russian rouble moved against this country, but the Paris quotation was more in our favour.

Subscriptions will be received by Messrs. Louis Cohen and Sons for an issue, at the price of 94 per cent., of £800,000 Five per Cent. Debentures of the Macahé and Campos Railway Company, secured by a first mortgage on the whole of the existing property of the undertaking. The interest is payable half-yearly in London, and the bonds are redeemable at par within thirty-seven years by an accumulative sinking fund of 1 per ct. per annum, by annual drawings. The first coupon is due in January next. Five per cent. is payable on application, and the final instalment on Dec. 4, but payments can be made in full under discount at the rate of 3 per cent. per annum. According to a memorandum from the president of the line, the average annual earnings for the past three years have been equal, at an exchange of 26d, to £69,321, while the charge for interest and sinking fund on the present issue will be £48,000, leaving a surplus of £21,321. The application list will be closed on or before Sept. 14.

With regard to the damage to the Mexican (Vera Cruz) Railway, the following telegram has been received by the company:

> Severe hurricane and rains night of 5th; thirty-foot bridge near [illegible] and three spans of Metlac bridge carried away; repairs in progress.

The Eastern Telegraph Company notify the restoration by their cables of telegraphic communication with India and the Far East.

It is notified that the Nundydroog Gold Mining Company (Limited) have sold, through Messrs. Johnson, Matthey, and Co., the gold obtained in the month of July, which realised £2,387 14s 5d.

The Lancashire and Yorkshire Railway traffic return for the past week exhibits an increase of £366, the Metropolitan District an increase of £209, and the Great Eastern a decrease of £327.

It is intimated that the Ouro Preto Gold Mines of Brazil (Limited) have received a telegram advising the August returns as follows: "1,362 tons of ore produced 4,371 oitavas of gold; also 475 oitavas of gold alloyed with bismuth; total 4,846 oitavas of gold (556 ounces)."

We are informed that Mr. Arthur Chamberlain, Mr. J. P. Lacy, and Mr. L. Lestner have joined the board of G. Kynoch and Co. (Limited).

The Mexican Railway traffic receipts for the week ended Sept. 8 amounted to £14,900, being the same as for the corresponding period of last year. For the seven days ended Sept. 7, the Dutch-Rhenish Railway receipts were £9,051, against £8,557 last year. The Norfolk and Western Railroad gross earnings for July were $407,285, and the expenses (including taxes), $251,320, leaving the net earnings $155,965. For July, 1887, the receipts amounted to $334,763, and the expenditure to $210,086, or a net profit of $124,677. For the third week in August the gross receipts of the East Tennessee, Virginia, and Georgia Railway were $142,535, against $150,355 in 1887. The approximate gross earnings of the Denver and Rio Grande Railroad for the first week of September were [illegible], against $156,000 for the corresponding week in 1887.

For the past week the London Street Tramway return exhibits an increase of £134; Provincial, £297; Belfast, £31; London Southern, £26; Edinburgh, £250; Hull, £11; France, £19; and Burnley, £54; but the South London shows a decrease of £30; Bordeaux, £51; Gothenburg, £8; and Southampton, £7. The Tramways Union receipts for August were £7,097, against £6,990 in 1887.

It is announced by the Viola Company (Limited) that the following cable has been received from the mine for the week ending Sept. 8: "Ore smelted, 356 tons; lead produced, 128 tons; silver produced, 2,247oz. Lead, [illegible]."

A general meeting of the Nerbudda Coal and Iron Company (Limited) will be held on Sept. 25 to authorise the directors to declare an interim dividend out of the profits of the current year.

The following changes occurred in Public Securities:

British Funds.—Consols (coupons) for the account rose 1-16 per ct., and Bank of England Stock, 1, but Exchequer Bills for March and June fell 1s each, and Metropolitan Board of Works Three and a Half per Cts. ¼ each. Consols for money closed at 100⅛, ¼; ditto Two and Three-quarters per Cts. (Goschens) for money, [illegible] ex div.; ditto for the account (Oct. 3), [illegible] ex div.; Three per Cts. Reduced for money, 99½, 100 ex div.; Two and a Half per Cts. for money, [illegible] ex div.; ditto for the account (Oct. 3), [illegible] ex div.; Exchequer Bills March, 6s to 1s dis.; ditto (June), 6s to 1s dis.; Egyptian Guaranteed Three per Ct. Loan, 100, ½ ex div.; India Four per Cts., [illegible] ex div.; ditto Three and a Half per Cts., [illegible] ex div.; ditto Three per Cts., [illegible]; Bank of England Stock, 326, 327; Metropolitan Board of Works Three and a Half per Cts., 111½, 112 ex div.; ditto Three per Ct. Stock, 102, 103; Corporation of London Three and a Half per Cts., 1888-92, 101, 102; ditto, 1893-98, 101, 103; ditto Birmingham Three and a Half per Cts., [illegible]; ditto Liverpool Three and a Half per Cts., 110½, ¾ ex div.; and Nottingham Three per Cts., 96½, 97½.

Colonial Government Securities.—Natal Four per Ct. Scrip rose 1, to 104½, 105½.

Foreign Government Bonds.—Ecuador and Venezuela rose 1½ each; Buenos Ayres Cedulas "J," 1½; ditto "I" and Argentine Hard Dollars, ½ each; ditto Cedulas "A" and Greek Monopoly, ¼ each; ditto of 1881 and 1884, ¼ each; Uruguay Unified ¼; Hungarian Four per Cts. of 1881 and Peruvian Five per Cts., ¼ each; and ditto Six per Cts and Russian of 1873, 1-16 each; but Mexican of 1888 *fell* ½; Spanish Four per Cts. and Egyptian of 1888, ¼ each; ditto Unified, ¼; Turkish Group One, ¼; ditto Group Four, 3-16; and ditto Groups Two and Three, ⅛ each. In the following table will be found a comparison between yesterday's and to-day's closing prices; where no price is inserted yesterday's quotations remain unchanged.

STOCKS.	Closing Prices. Yesterday.	To-day.	Business Done.
Argentine 6 p.c. 1886	102 104	...	103½
6 p.c. 1871	100 102	...	101½ 1 ½
6 p.c. 1881	104 106	...	105½ ½
5 p.c. 1884	98½ 99½	...	99½
5 p.c. 1886	[illegible]	...	[illegible]
5 p.c. N.C. Rail Ex.	96½ 97½	...	97
5 p.c. Treas. Conv.	98 99	...	98½ ½
6 p.c. (Hard Dol.)	69½ 70½	70½ 70¾	69¾ 70 ½
7 p.c. Cedulas "A"	61 61½	61¼ 62¼	...
Austrian Silver 5 p.c.	66 68	...	...
Paper 5 p.c.	66 68	...	...
Gold 4 p.c.	91 93	...	...
Brazilian 5 p.c. 1865	100 102	...	101½ ½
4½ p.c. 1883	97 99	...	98
5 p.c. 1886	101 103	...	102½
4½ p.c. 1879	98 100	...	99½
4½ p.c. 1888 all pd.	96½ 97½	...	97½ ½
Buenos Ayres 6 p.c. 1882—1886	101 103	...	[illegible]
6 p.c. 1883	101 103	...	102½ 3
Cedulas 8 p.c. "I"	62½ 63	62¾ 63½	...
Ditto "J"	59¾ 60¾	61 61½	...
Chilian 4½ p.c. 1886	100 102	...	...
4½ p.c. 1887	100 102	...	101½
Chinese 7 p.c. "A"	107 110	...	...
7 p.c. "B"	108 110	...	...
6 p.c. March, 1885	108 111	...	109½
6 p.c. June, 1886	106 109	...	107½
Colombian 4½ p.c.	31 33	...	...
Costa Rica 5 p.c. "A"	91½ 92½	...	92¼ 1½
Ditto 5 p.c. "B"	90½ 90¾	...	[illegible]
Ecuador 1 p.c.	22 23	23½ 24½	[illegible]
Egyptian 5 p.c. Pref.	102½ 103	...	103 2¾ ½
4 p.c. Unified	85 85½	84¾ 85	84¾ 5¼
4 p.c. Daira Sanieh	80 80½	...	80 ½ ¼ ½
5 p.c. State Dom.	101½ 102	...	101½
4½ p.c. 1888	95½ 96½	95½ 96	...
Entre Rios 6 p.c. 1886	100 101	...	...
6 p.c. C. hy. Mort.	103½ 104½	...	104 3¾ ½ ½ 4¼
6 p.c. Exten. Mort.	98½ 100½	...	...
French 3 p.c. Rentes	82½ 83¼	...	82½
4½ p.c. Rentes	103½ 104½	...	103½
Greek 5 p.c. 1881	79½ 79¾	79¾ 80¼	79½ 80 79¾ 80¼
5 p.c. 1884	79½ 79¾	79¾ 80¼	79¾ 80¼ ½ 79¾
4 p.c. Monopoly	72½ 72¾	73 73½	72¾ 3¼ ½ ½
6 p.c. 1880 Scrip	74½ 75½	...	75 ¾
Guatemala 4 p.c.	57 59	...	58 7 8½ ½ 8
Hungarian 5 p.c. 1871	100 102	...	100½
5 p.c. 1873	99 101	...	...
4 p.c. 1881	83 83½	83½ 83¾	83

THE ST. LEGER.

Whatever may happen as the week progresses, the first scene in the Doncaster play turned out most favourable, although the afternoon was not altogether free from suspicion. We escaped rain, and at times the sun shone with a fair amount of strength. The long day's work began before breakfast, when all the St. Leger candidates except Seabreeze took the morning air on the Town Moor. A somewhat large crowd waited patiently for the coming of Ayrshire, and it was a disappointment to many when he only galloped a steady mile in company of his faithful companion, Seaton. Opinions were at variance concerning the Two Thousand and Derby winner, and those who did not like him—perhaps they were in a minority—declared that he was on the big side in point of condition. Orbit looked a perfectly trained colt, and others that created a favourable impression were a brace of fillies, Zanzibar and Estafette. There was no material change at the Subscription Room before the commencement of the racing, and the sale paddock proved a greater attraction. Moderate as the racing turned out, the promise of a big day's sport was not put forth overnight in vain, and the general public mustered in force. This cannot be said, however, as regards the upper circles, and although several house parties had been formed they were less numerous than usual. The course, which had been described as somewhat sticky in the morning, improved afterwards, and will be splendid going to-morrow if we have no more rain. The curtain rose with the Fitzwilliam Stakes, and by consent of his nominator, Mr. F. Robinson, Frapotel ran in the colours of Charles Archer, who purchased him at Derby for 500 guineas. In the interim the French-bred chesnut had done well at Newmarket, and he won with a lot in hand from Castagnette, with the non-staying Maskery the best of the remainder. Judged by what he has done in this country, Frapotel is one of the superior sort of platers, and Mr. Whipp bought him under the hammer for 700 guineas. The Doncaster Welter Plate produced a similarly-sized field to the opening event, and Abu Klea, who had been quoted for the Cambridgeshire, was included amongst the competitors instead of flying at such high game as the big handicap of the Newmarket Houghton Meeting. His favouritism was closely disputed by Goldseeker, who revived recollection of his victory in the Glasgow Plate on the same day of last year by a decisive verdict. Nothing persevered against him from below the distance, and thus the record was fifteen lengths in favour of Mr. Leybourne's three-year-old. Sweet Briar, in spite of a stone penalty, frightened away most of the entries for the Clumber Plate, and, as the betting suggested, it was plain sailing for her. Next came the Great Yorkshire Handicap, and Admiral Benbow, having been backed quietly overnight for the Cesarewitch, he was the one absentee of the coloured fourteen. The Duke of Beaufort had two strings to his bow in Button Park and Fealty, and the report that the former had lost his temper was, to some extent, substantiated by the fact of his wearing blinkers. Still, he ran kindly enough in the race, and as there is no exaggeration in the statement that he could have won by a hundred yards or more, he might have been a good thing for the Cesarewitch without the penalty, which raises him to 7st 11lb. The two favourites, Exmoor and St. Helen, cut up indifferently, and until Button Park appeared on the scene, pulling George Barrett out of the saddle, the brunt of the battle for the last half-mile was borne by Treasurer and Drizzle, so that the deep ground must have caused the former to run badly in the Ebor Handicap. Dan Dancer did even worse than St. Helen and Exmoor, and no danger need be feared from him now in the Cesarewitch. In the Champagne Stakes Chitabob added to his Manchester and Gosforth Park laurels, and this in spite of the fact that he has given his trainer a considerable amount of trouble, owing to frequent attacks of rheumatism, which have not, however, impeded his speed. To the joy of the odds layers he held the command the whole of the way, and Fagan did not make the slightest move when Gay Hampton struggled up to his neck. Perhaps Chitabob is one of the sort who can run their races without much extraneous pressure, and on that account an Autumn improvement can be allowed to Gay Hampton apart from the fact that he beat Gulbeyaz a long way further than at Kempton Park in the Summer. The unplaced division included Fitztraver and Seclusion as well as the colt by Hermit—Ma Belle, who is a half-brother to Beau Brummel. The two last races on the card ended adversely to the talent, Prince Frederick carrying off the Stand Stakes and Master Bill the Glasgow Plate. The latter had not been seen since the Spring, when he was purchased by Mr. Abington from William Jarvis for a rather large sum. Although Dorothy Draggletail is amongst the latest arrivals she does not run before Friday, and leaves the following as the final compilation of

PROBABLE STARTERS AND JOCKEYS.

Ayrshire, by Hampton—Atalanta	F. Barrett.
Seabreeze, by Isonomy—St. Marguerite	Robinson.
Orbit, by Bend Or—Fair Alice	T. Cannon.
Zanzibar, by Sterling—Lady Paramount	G. Barrett.
Estafette, by Galopin—Corne	S. Loates.
Love-in-Idleness, by Mask—Lucetta	J. Goater.
Belle Mahone, by Uncas—Jenny Howlet	Fagan.
Chillington, by Chippendale—Duvernay	Rickaby.
Ossory, by Bend Or—Lily Agnes	T. Cannon, jun.
Apollo, by Hampton—Rosy Cross	F. Webb.
Benburb, by Ben Battle—Ermeline	E. Martin.
Stronvar, by FitzJames—Minar	J. Watts.
Merry Andrew, by Chippendale—Jubilant	Wall.
Arrandale, by Springfield, Morgiana	Warne.
White Flag, by Discord—Alba	J. Woodburn.
Netheravon, by Avontes, dam by Mortemer—Highland Lassie	Cleminson.

Quantity is better represented than quality in the above lot, as many of the sixteen are far from properly qualified to play a part in one of the most important weight for age races of the season. On form Ayrshire and Seabreeze are bound to beat Orbit, and if he should get in front of them it will be owing to an insufficient preparation in the one case, and lack of stamina in the other. Still the partisans of Heath House declare that Ayrshire is thoroughly well, in spite of the market opposition, while Seabreeze is considered a very different animal to what she was at Goodwood. Beyond the trio I do not care to search, and, fearing Ayrshire may fail to quite reproduce his Epsom form, I shall declare for

ORBIT.

As regards the remaining events, NOBLE CHIEFTAIN should win the Bradgate Park Stakes, GOLDSEEKER the Cleveland Handicap, TESTATOR the Tattersall's Sale Stakes, PECK OF PEPPER or FIDDLEDEDEE the Milton Stakes, and APRIL FOOL the Rufford Abbey Plate.

Doncaster, Tuesday Night. HOTSPUR.

MORNING GALLOPS AT DONCASTER.

There was a large assemblage on the Town Moor yesterday morning to witness the work of the horses engaged in the St. Leger. The weather proved of the most agreeable description, and this circumstance no doubt greatly augmented the attendance. The Kingsclere horses put in an early appearance, and, after cantering, Orbit, ridden by Tom Cannon, Ossory by T. Cannon, jun., Apollo by M. Cannon, and Dornoch, galloped a mile and three-quarters at a smart pace—all performing satisfactorily. White Flag, piloted by J. Snowden, covered the Leger course at a good pace. Estafette, with S. Loates in the saddle, negotiated a mile and three-quarters briskly, Felix jumping in the last five furlongs and bringing her along. Estafette has evidently had a thorough preparation and pulled up fresh and well. Chillington, who was piloted by Rickaby, and Merry Andrew, galloped the St. Leger course in company, and of the pair Chillington was most liked. Love-in-Idleness, J. Goater up, had a couple of steady six-furlongs gallops. Stronvar, steered by Glover, galloped about two miles, Wynyard bringing him along the last five furlongs. Stronvar travelled well and was much liked by the spectators. About eight o'clock Ayrshire appeared upon the scene, and immediately became the centre of attraction. Fred Barrett was in the saddle, and, after walking exercise, the favourite went to the vicinity of the rifle butts in the company of Seaton, and the latter led him a mile and a half at a good steady pace. The colt moved in capital style, pulling up sound and well. Taylor's team came out in good time, and after cantering, Benburb (Martin up), Netheravon (ridden by Cleminson), and Zanzibar (piloted by George Barrett), compassed a mile and three-quarters briskly, Zanzibar creating a very favourable impression.

DONCASTER SEPTEMBER MEETING.

TUESDAY.

The FITZWILLIAM STAKES of 5 sovs each, with 200 added, weight for age, with selling and other allowances. Three-quarters of a mile straight. 20 subs.

Mr. C. Archer's Frapotel, by Zut—Mademoiselle de Fligny, 4 yrs, 8st 7lb (£500) (F. Barrett) 1
Mr. J. T. Whipp's Castagnette, 6 yrs, 8st 4lb (car 8st 5lb) (£300) (Weldon) 2
Lord Dudley's Maskery, 2 yrs, 6st 2lb (£100) (G. Chaloner) 3
Mr. G. Atkey's Madame Julia, 2 yrs, 6st 2lb (car 6st 5lb) (£300) (Blake) 0
Mr. A. Benholm's Grecian Bend, 4 yrs, 8st 4lb (£300) (T. Loates) 0
Mr. W. Blake's Stourwick, 6 yrs, 8st 13lb (£800) (Watts) 0
Mr. R. Croft's Edlington, aged, 8st 7lb (£300) (G. Barrett) 0
Mr. T. Jennings, jun.'s, Hermia, 3 yrs, 8st 3lb (£600) (Robinson) 0
Mr. C. J. Merry's Cardinal Mat, 3 yrs, 8st (£300) (Liddiard) 0
Mr. R. Peck's Dulcie, 2 yrs, 6st 2lb (5lb all) (car 6st 6lb) (£500) (Heron) 0
Prince Soltykoff's Rebound, 3 yrs, 7st 11lb (£300) (J. Woodburn) 0
(Winner trained by owner.)

Betting—75 to 20 agst Maskery, 4 to 1 agst Stourwick, 5 to 1 agst Frapotel, 10 to 1 each agst Edlington and Castagnette, and 100 to [illegible] each agst Grecian Bend, Cardinal Mat, and Dulcie.

Edlington cut out the work, and was attended by Grecian Bend, Maskery, and Madame Julia, with Frapotel and Hermia next to the bend for home, where Maskery headed Edlington, and the pair came on from Frapotel and Castagnette, Stourwick being well beaten directly after entering the line for home. At the distance Maskery was in trouble, and Frapotel drew out and won easily by a length and a half; a bad third. Grecian Bend was fourth, Edlington fifth, Stourwick sixth, Hermia next, and Cardinal Mat last. The winner was sold to Mr. Whipp for 700 guineas.

LATEST SCRATCHINGS.

ALL ENGAGEMENTS HERE.—Swansdown, and all General Owen Williams's horses except Sea Song.

PORTLAND PLATE.—Ice.

ST. LEGER.—East Indian, Rest, Alpenhorn, Astrologer, Franciscan, Chatelaine, Caerlaverock.

PRINCE OF WALES'S NURSERY.—Amphion.

LATEST LONDON BETTING—TUESDAY NIGHT.

ST. LEGER.

95 to 40 agst Ayrshire (t & off)
11 to 4 — Seabreeze (t & o)
9 to 2 — Orbit (t and off)
18 to 1 — Zanzibar (t and o)
22 to 1 — Ossory (t and off)
25 to 1 — Estafette (off)
33 to 1 — Stronvar (t & off)
40 to 1 — Chillington (t & off)
40 to 1 — Belle Mahone (t and off)
66 to 1 agst Apollo (t)
100 to 1 — Love-in-Idleness (t)
150 to 1 — Merry Andrew (t and off)
200 to 1 — Netheravon (t & off)
200 to 1 — White Flag (t)
200 to 1 — Benburb (t & off)

PLACE BETTING.

11 to 8 on Orbit (t & off)
Evens agst Ayrshire (t & off)
Evens — Seabreeze (t & off)
4 to 1 — Zanzibar (t & off)
9 to 2 — Estafette (t & off)
95 to 20 — Ossory (t & off)
5 to 1 — Belle Mahone (t)
11 to 2 agst Stronvar (t)
100 to 15 — Chillington (t)
10 to 1 — Merry Andrew (t)
100 to 9 — Apollo (t)
100 to 7 — Love-in-Idleness (t)
25 to 1 — Netheravon (t&o)

YESTERDAY'S WINNERS AND STARTING PRICES.

DONCASTER SEPTEMBER MEETING.

GREAT YORKSHIRE HANDICAP PLATE (15).

Horse.	Rider.	Win.	Place.
Button Park, 5 yrs, 7st 6lb	G. Barrett	5 to 1	2 to 1
Treasurer, 3 yrs, 6st 2lb	Jones	100 to 8	3 to 1
Drizzle, 4 yrs, 6st 4lb	Blake	10 to 1	5 to 2

Race.	Horse.	Rider.	Price.
Fitzwilliam Stakes (11)	Frapotel	F. Barrett	5 to 1
Doncaster Welter Plate (11)	Goldseeker	Calder	3 to 1
Clumber Plate (4)	Sweetbriar	T. Loates	1 to 3
Champagne Stakes (7)	Chitabob	Fagan	1 to 2
Stand Stakes (7)	Prince Frederick	J. Woodburn	100 to 8
Glasgow Plate (10)	Master Bill	S. Loates	10 to 1
Filly Stakes	Rydal		w. o.

[The figures in parentheses indicate the number of starters.]

Decision in the case of the Courtesy filly in the Seamer Handicap at Scarborough: "We disqualify the brown filly by Highborn, dam Courtesy (3 yrs), for the Seamer Handicap Plate on account of insufficient description, she having run as Her Grace in 1887. We acquit the owner, Mr. May, of any wrong intention.—(Signed) Durham, F. W. Lambton, Robert Lambton."

DONCASTER BLOOD STOCK SALES.

Yesterday morning's catalogue was a heavy one, and there was a large company present, but nothing important had to be disposed of, and small prices were the rule, as will be seen by the appended return of the sale:

	Gs.
THE PROPERTY OF MR. S. DOBSON.	
C by Xenophon—Ushant (Mr. Gregory)	100
THE PROPERTY OF MR. SPRING.	
Glandford, ch c, by Claremont—Una (Mr. Benholm)	160
THE PROPERTY OF MR. SAMUEL IBBOTSON.	
Bl c by Knight of Forest—Maryland (Mr. C. R. Friend)	80
YEARLINGS, THE PROPERTY OF MR. J. H. STEPHENSON.	
Ch f by Claribert—Fleecy Cloud (Mr. T. Brown)	190
B c by Knight Templar—Princess Bladud (Mr. W. I'Anson)	110
Br f by Knight Templar—Ambergris (Mr. C. R. Friend)	50
YEARLINGS, THE PROPERTY OF MR. ROBERT WORTLEY.	
B c by Beau Brummel—La Faye (Mr. C. R. Friend)	80
Br f by Beau Brummel—Coral (Mr. C. W. Fawcett)	210
YEARLINGS, THE PROPERTY OF MR. J. C. HILL.	
Br c by Discord—Our Mary Ann (Mr. J. Dawson)	190
Br c by Discord—Serpolette II. (Mr. Walters)	150
Br f by Coltness—Lucy Ashton (Mr. T. Stevens, jun.)	60
THE CADEBY HALL YEARLINGS.	
B c by Donald Caird—Crowfoot (Mr. Richardson)	40
B c by Hagioscope—Lydian (Mr. Gregory)	50
Red ro f by Silvester—Policy (Mr. John Osborne)	110
B f by Poste Restante—Monstrix (Mr. Richardson)	60
Ch c by Touchet—Scotch Rose (Mr. W. I'Anson)	300
B c by Discord—Persistence (Mr. C. R. Friend)	105
THE MARDEN DEER PARK YEARLINGS.	
B f by Beaudesert—Penelope (Mr. Gregory)	120
B f by Beaudesert—Leap Frog (Mr. Ramsden)	250
Ch f by Beaudesert—Suspense (Mr. Noel Fenwick)	350
B f by George Frederick—Cherry Ripe (Mr. C. R. Friend)	60
Ch c by George Frederick—Tartine (Mr. Blewett)	80
B c by Beaudesert—Breakwater (Lord Henry Paulett)	220
B c by George Frederick—Visionary (Mr. J. Cann)	65
YEARLINGS, THE PROPERTY OF CAPTAIN BAYLEY.	
Trop de Zèle, b c, by Zeal—Giddy Girl (Mr. S. H. Hyde)	100
Hercules, ch c, by Fortissimo or Edward the Confessor—Omphale (Mr. Richardson)	60
THE PROPERTY OF A GENTLEMAN.	
First Fruit, b c, by Petrarch—Cherry (Sir C. Hartopp)	25
LOCKINGTON STUD YEARLINGS.	
Br f by Castlereagh—Ammonia (Mr. Richardson)	35
Ch c by Castlereagh—Tapestry (Mr. Ramsden)	65
Ch f by Castlereagh—Coquette (Mr. Richardson)	70
Ch f by Albert Victor—Allerton (Mr. Boulton)	50
Ch f by Castlereagh—La Belle (Mr. Gregory)	45
THE PROPERTY OF MR. J. LEES.	
B f by Ossian—Milkmaid (Mr. Boulton)	30
Ch c by Ossian—Sash (Mr. Ramsden)	80
Br f (2 yrs) by Ossian—Cambridge (Mr. C. R. Friend)	40
BROOD MARE, THE PROPERTY OF CAPTAIN BAYLEY.	
Ma Beauté (1882), by Il Gladiatore—Frevolina (Mr. Burwell)	20
THE PROPERTY OF A GENTLEMAN.	
Gentle Zitella (1874), by Blair Athol—Pet (Mr. Pryce)	55
Lorna (1879), ch m, by Argyle, dam unknown (Mr. G. Fenwick)	60
BROOD MARES AND FOALS, THE PROPERTY OF MR. J. LEES.	
Sash, ch m, by Thormanby—Scarf (Mr. Motelle)	20
Zinnia (1878), b m, by General Peel—Industry (Baron W. Griswald)	150
Brunette, pedigree unknown (Mr. Motelle)	20
Milkmaid, pedigree unknown (Mr. R. Howett)	20

CRICKET.

AUSTRALIANS v. SHAW AND SHREWSBURY'S ELEVEN.

After a day's delay caused by the unfavourable weather, the first of the two matches arranged between the Australians and Eleven of the team taken out by Shaw and Shrewsbury to Australia last autumn was commenced yesterday at Holbeck, Leeds. The weather, though cold and cheerless, was a vast improvement on that of the preceding day. During lunch-time rain fell rather briskly, causing an extension of the interval to nearly double the usual period, and later in the afternoon showers seemed imminent. They fortunately, however, held off for the remainder of the day. Considering the adverse weather of late the wicket was a fairly good one, though of course by no means in the batsman's favour. A moderate day's cricket was witnessed by about 3,000 spectators. Operations commenced at a quarter-past twelve with Bannerman and M'Donnell, who were opposed by Lohmann and Briggs. A very poor start was made, for with the total standing only at 4 M'Donnell was bowled by the first named. This was the prelude to a series of misfortunes. Double figures had only just been reached when Bannerman was dismissed by Briggs, and at 20 Bonnor was well taken at mid on by Brann off Lohmann, and three runs later Jones was very smartly caught at the wicket, all off the same bowler. On Lyons and Trott becoming partners a very useful stand was made, and, both batsmen playing good cricket, succeeded in materially altering the state of the game. Trott, by a straight hard drive, scored the first boundary hit of the match. Just before the luncheon, which was taken at 1.30 instead of the orthodox hour, Preston took the ball from Briggs, but Trott and Lyons were together at the interval, the former having 25 and the latter 7 to his credit, the score standing at 47 for four wickets. Play was brisker for a brief interval, both batsmen making several grand hits on a wicket which at this period was somewhat easier owing to the new-fallen rain. At 63 Trott was bowled by Preston for an invaluable contribution of 33. Preston followed up his dismissal of Trott by clean bowling Turner in the same over, and soon afterwards he similarly disposed of Lyons, who had scored 20 by steady cricket. Lohmann quickly secured the two following wickets, and Worrall, being run out in attempting a second run, the innings closed at 3.30 for 86. Maurice Read and Ulyett went first to the wickets, Turner and Ferris being the bowlers. Both batsmen commenced hitting vigorously, Read scoring a quartette off the first ball sent down. He was out at 25, to a good running catch in the long field by M'Donnell. Newham and Ulyett then offered considerable resistance, but Boyle and Lyons, taking up the bowling, effected a separation, Ulyett being well caught by Turner at long off. Lohmann was taken at the wicket the first ball, and Ferris, subsequently displacing Boyle, got rid of Briggs with his third ball. After this Newham and Docker batted splendidly, causing numerous bowling changes, the former being brilliantly caught by Bannerman just on the call of time. Score:

AUSTRALIANS.

P. S. M'Donnell, b Lohmann	2	C. T. B. Turner, b Preston	0
A. C. Bannerman, c Pilling, b Briggs	2	A. H. Jarvis, b Lohmann	5
H. Trott, b Preston	33	J. Worrall, run out	13
G. J. Bonnor, c Brann, b Lohmann	6	J. J. Ferris, b Lohmann	0
S. P. Jones, c Pilling, b Lohmann	1	H. F. Boyle, not out	0
J. J. Lyons, b Preston	20	B 2, l b 2	4
		Total	86

SHAW'S TEAM.

Ulyett, c Turner, b Boyle	24	Briggs, b Ferris	10
M. Read, c M'Donnell, b Ferris	17	L. C. Docker, not out	32
W. Newham, c Bannerman, b Lyons	34	B 2, l b 2	4
Lohmann, c Jarvis, b Lyons	0	Total (5 wickets)	121

C. A. Smith, G. Brann, Preston, Pougher, and Pilling to bat.

AUSTRALIANS—First Innings.

	o.	m.	r.	w.		o.	m.	r.	w.
Lohmann	32.2	18	37	5	Preston	11	5	21	3
Briggs	21	11	24	1					

SURREY v. TWENTY COLTS.

Play in this match was resumed at the Kennington Oval yesterday under more favourable circumstances than on the previous day. The weather was beautifully fine, but the wicket played very queerly. Surrey commenced their first innings at eleven o'clock, and were all dismissed twenty-five minutes after the luncheon interval, the venture closing for 155 runs, out of which Key scored 46, Abel 23, and Bowden 22. The Colts made a very poor show in their second innings, the whole being got rid of for 90 runs, two batsmen only reaching double figures. For the Colts Watts bowled remarkably well, taking eight wickets for 44 runs, whilst for Surrey W. Read, with lobs, was very successful, being credited with seven wickets for 21. Bowley obtained seven wickets for 25 runs. The game eventually terminated in a draw. Score:

COLTS.

N. C. Cooper, b Beaumont	21	b Bowley	7
[illegible], b Bowley	7	b W. Read	10
Adams, b W. Read	23	b Bowley	5
F. Gilbert, b Beaumont	7	l b w, b Sharpe	0
V. S. Menzies, b Beaumont	11	b Bowley	8
[illegible], c Wood, b W. Read	5	b Sharpe	7
Stimson, st Wood, b W. Read	3	b Bowley	0
Andrew, c Abel, b Beaumont	3	c Wood, b Sharpe	13
Davies, b Beaumont	14	b Sharpe	7
Watts, l b w, b W. Read	0	c W. Read, b Bowley	1
G. W. Roffey, b Beaumont	8	c and b W. Read	1
Street, c Bowden, b Beaumont	19	c Abel, b W. Read	2
A. E. Clarke, c Bowley, b Sharpe	1	c Sharpe, b Bowley	0
Pepper, b Beaumont	1	b W. Read	7
Lane, run out	0	b Mills	2
Forster, c Wood, b Beaumont	6	st Wood, b W. Read	0
Weston, b Sharpe	3	st Wood, b W. Read	1
L. Mortimer, b Sharpe	3	b Bowley	2
Lyddon, b Sharpe	4	not out	4
[illegible], not out	1	c Key, b W. Read	0
B 7, l b 3	10	B 5, l b 2, n b 1	8
Total	146	Total	90

SURREY.

K. J. Key, b Watts	46	Brockwell, b Andrew	1
Abel, b Watts	23	Sharpe, c Clarke, b Watts	1
Wood, c [illegible], b Watts	16	Beaumont, not out	13
W. W. Read, c [illegible], b Watts	17	Bowley, b Watts	1
Henderson, b Watts	2	B 5, l b 2	7
M. P. Bowden, c Watts, b Davies	22	Total	155
Mills, b Watts	3		

Umpires—Apted and Smith.

MARGATE REGATTA.

Fine weather favoured the annual regatta at Margate yesterday, the pier, jetty, and marine promenade of the jetty waiting place, being thronged with spectators. A favourable breeze of moderate strength was blowing from W.N.W., and the events passed off most successfully. The Regatta Committee have this season for their chairman the Right Hon. James Lowther, M.P., the onerous duties of honorary secretary being discharged by Mr. W. B. [illegible]. Mr. J. M. Walton acted as starter, Mr. R. T. Webster as judge, and the harbour master, Mr. E. Kemp, as referee. Appended are the results:

Sailing Match for Fishing Smacks, open to the coast, not exceeding 40ft in length (time allowance 1min per foot).—Alarm (Margate), 36ft, H. Littley, 1; Blanche (Margate), 40ft, T. Campney, 2; Annie Sophia (Queenborough), 36ft., T. Holmes, 3. A distance of about twenty miles had to be covered, the course laying from the committee boat moored off the jetty to the Long Nose buoy, thence to the [illegible] buoy round the [illegible] buoy and back to the starting point. The boats kept well together throughout, but Alarm, being enabled to keep well up to the wind at the finish, came in about five minutes ahead, Blanche, having to concede a time allowance, took second place by about a couple of minutes.

Gaff Sail Race, open to Margate; boats not to exceed 20ft (time allowance, half a minute per foot).—Endeavour, [illegible], T. Ladd, 1; [illegible], 19ft 6in, W. Pull, 2; Secret, 20ft, W. Martin, 3. Won by six lengths, about three lengths between second and third.

Yacht Race, open to the Kentish Coast; vessels not to exceed 30ft; time allowance, one minute per foot.—Tankerton, Whitstable, H. Graystone, 1; Vanguard, Whitstable, H. Gann, 2. A splendid contest, the vessels being locked the entire distance, and [illegible]

LAST NIGHT'S GAZETTE.

SCOTCH SEQUESTRATIONS.

John Morrison, Saddell-st., Campbeltown, boatowner—Kenneth Mackenzie, St. Duthus-st., Tain—Robert Hendry Kyle, 29, Frederick-st., Edinburgh, cabinetmaker—Engelbert Singer, 15, Laird-st., Greenock, wine merchant.

A SUCCESSFUL BUSINESS.—"We know of no enterprise of recent years which has been crowned with greater success than the Goldsmiths and Silversmiths' Company, of 112, Regent-street, who, just eight years ago, opened their show rooms to place the productions of their workshops direct before the public, thus saving purchasers the numerous intermediate profits which are obtained by middle men on high class goods. Such has been the appreciation by the public that the company have now the largest business in England, and are quite supplanting the old-fashioned houses that pride themselves upon having been established so many decades, but have utterly failed to keep pace with the times, and are consequently left with old stocks at extraordinary high prices. The company supply the public direct at manufacturers' prices, effecting a saving of from 25 to 50 per cent."—Court Journal.—[ADVERTISEMENT.]

THE WHITECHAPEL MURDER.

IMPORTANT CLUE.

No fresh arrest was made yesterday in connection with the series of murders in Whitechapel and Spitalfields, and the two men who had been apprehended on Monday were still detained. Piggot, who has been removed to the Whitechapel Infirmary, is under close surveillance, and there is an opinion that his mind is not as seriously deranged as at first supposed; but he has not wholly recovered from his strangeness of manner. As he has admitted that he was in Whitechapel on the morning of the murder of Annie Chapman, and as there were suspicious stains upon his clothing, the case is likely to receive careful investigation from the police.

Attention was chiefly directed yesterday to the man Piser, the alleged "Leather Apron," who had been arrested on Monday by Detective Thicke at the house of his stepmother, in Mulberry-street, Commercial-road. It was generally believed that Piser had been liberated from Leman-street Police-station, whither he had been taken, but this was incorrect. During the day the police were put in possession of facts which apparently justified them in detaining Piser upon suspicion. It has transpired that a man, whose name is not forthcoming, but who is described as middle-aged, with the look of a negro or half-caste, saw the deceased woman in Hanbury-street, early on the morning of Saturday last, the day of her death. She was with two men who had not been traced. They appeared to be quarrelling, and the men threatened the woman. Such a circumstance as this, in the rough district around Spitalfields Market, is not an uncommon occurrence. The police, however, determined to act upon this faint clue; and an indication of their intention was afforded to some of the public by the fact that they called into Leman-street Police-station a number of passers-by. In the system of identification pursued by metropolitan detectives it is usual to place the suspect in the company of some twenty other men, and the witness is then brought into their presence and is required to pick out the one he may be able to recognise. In this instance the witness unhesitatingly pointed to John Piser as he stood among a score of other men, and he is understood to have exclaimed, "What, you know me?" and protested that the man was mistaken. Piser was, however, put back into the cells, and the next step will be to ascertain whether the witness can identify the deceased, whose body remains at the mortuary in Montague-street, as the woman whom he believes he noticed in the prisoner's company on Saturday last. Should the evidence of identification be carried to this point it is possible the police may feel justified in taking Piser before a magistrate on suspicion of being concerned in the murder. The authorities do not express much confidence in their ability to establish a case against Piser. The present clue is based upon the assumption that the murderer had an accomplice, or that at any rate another man is aware he was in the company of the murdered woman within a short period of the commission of the crime. If this were the case, however, it is considered almost certain that the second man would have come forward as soon as he heard of the murder, in order to save himself from grave suspicion. The theory that the second man was an actual accomplice is not seriously entertained. Piser's friends and relatives are not seriously alarmed at the alleged identification. The brother of the prisoner, Gabriel, asserts that the suspected man was never known to him by the title of "Leather Apron," and he maintains that he is physically incapable of perpetrating such an atrocity. Gabriel Piser is prepared to prove that John Piser came to his house on Thursday last, and that he remained indoors until Monday, when he was taken into custody. Prior to Thursday John Piser had been living, he believed, in Westminster lodging houses. The prisoner had related to him an incident which he says occurred in Spitalfields on Sunday week and which seems to have contributed greatly to his alarm. Some women had pointed him out as "Leather Apron," and the attention of a policeman was called to him. The officer refused to take him in charge, and Piser was pursued by a howling crowd that had collected, which seems to have frightened him considerably. Piser's friends and co-religionists express regret that, when he became aware that the women of the locality had directed suspicion towards him, he did not of his own accord go to the police and demand their protection. Instead of which he withdrew himself from his accustomed haunts, and finally went into hiding at his relatives' house. Gabriel Piser adds that the police have searched the rooms thoroughly, and have taken thence some "buffers," or blunt blades used for finishing leather work. The prisoner, when asked about the murder, said to his brother, "Do you suppose that I could be guilty of such a thing?" He is called a rather intelligent man by his associates. Beyond the alleged identification there is practically no evidence against Piser. Strenuous efforts have been made to find the rings torn from Chapman's fingers by the murderer, but not a trace of them has been discovered. It is probable that they have been destroyed, and with them, it is to be feared, disappears the most hopeful means of bringing the miscreant to justice.

The police during yesterday afternoon and evening made careful inquiries into the statements made by the man who professed to identify Piser. The manner of this man, who is apparently of Spanish blood, and displays a blue ribbon on his coat, did not inspire much confidence in his veracity, and he was severely cross-examined by a sort of informal tribunal, consisting of experienced detective officers. To his first statement the witness added that he not only saw the prisoner in Hanbury-street on the morning of the murder, but that he actually took him by the collar when he was about to strike the woman. It appears that the man first volunteered his statement on Monday, and he has since displayed anxiety to view the remains of the murdered woman Chapman. This curiosity, which may really be the inspiring motive of his voluntary testimony, has not yet been gratified. Piser's relatives are becoming indignant at his prolonged and, as they maintain, entirely unjustifiable detention. His brother last evening repeated with much emphasis that Piser did not leave the house between Thursday last and the day of his apprehension. He took care not to do so because he had been subjected to much annoyance by being followed by women and others, who persisted in calling him "Leather Apron." Piser, it was added, is physically a very weak man, and for that reason does not keep at work very closely. He is ruptured, and in other ways infirm, and has been under hospital treatment on and off for a long time past. Each time the police searched Piser's lodging they found no trace of blood-stained clothing, or, indeed, anything of a suspicious character; but they carried off five knives which were at once subjected to chemical analysis. All are of the class used in the leather-currying trade, having blades about 6in in length with stout handles, sometimes notched in a peculiar way. There was to all appearance no blood either on the blade or the handles, but on some of the blades there were marks apparently caused by rust. This was particularly noticeable in respect of a formidable-looking curved knife which had been sharpened recently. The chemical examination of these knives did not conclude until last evening, when it was announced that none of the marks upon the weapons were bloodstains. Meanwhile the police had continued their inquiries into the witness's statements with the result that about eight o'clock, they arrived at the conclusion that the man had not stated the truth, and that there were no grounds for keeping Piser any longer in custody. He was accordingly set at liberty, and at once proceeded to Mulberry-street, where he received the congratulations of his relatives and friends. The conduct of the man who professed to identify Piser has caused much indignation, it having kept several experienced officers from prosecuting inquiries in other directions. His statement, clear enough at first, utterly failed to stand the test even of ordinary questioning. In the course of a three hours' examination to which he was subjected yesterday afternoon he contradicted himself over and over again. In the result he was not allowed to view the body at the mortuary and was sharply sent about his business. It should be clearly understood that the police have never made a charge against Piser, and that he was taken into custody purely as a matter of precaution to allow the allegations affecting him to be sifted. The man Piggott is still under surveillance at the Whitechapel Infirmary.

A discovery which, it is believed, throws considerable light upon the movements of the murderer immediately after the committal of the crime was made yesterday afternoon. A little girl happened to be walking in the back garden or yard of the house, 25, Hanbury-street, the next house but one to the scene of the murder, when her attention was attracted to peculiar marks on the wall and on the garden path. She communicated the discovery to Detective-inspector Chandler, who had just called at the house in order to make a plan of the back premises of the three houses for the use of the Coroner at the inquest, which will be resumed to-day. The whole of the yard was then carefully examined, with the result that a bloody trail was found distinctly marked for a distance of five or six feet in the direction of the back door of the house. Further investigation left no doubt that the trail was that of the murderer, who, it was evident, after finishing his sanguinary work, had passed through or over the dividing fence between Nos. 29 and 27, and thence into the garden of No. 25. On the wall of the last house there was found a curious mark, between a smear and a sprinkle, which had probably been made by the murderer, who, alarmed by the blood-soaked state of his coat, took off that garment and knocked it against the wall. Abutting on the end of the yard at No. 25 are the works of Mr. Bailey, a packing-case maker. In the yard of this establishment, in an out-of-the-way corner, the police yesterday afternoon found some crumpled paper, almost saturated with blood. It was evident that the murderer had found the paper in the yard of No. 25, and had wiped his hands with it afterwards, throwing it over the wall into Bailey's premises. The house No. 25, like most of the dwellings in the street, is let out in tenements direct from the owner, who does not live on the premises, and has no representative therein. The back and front doors are therefore always left either on the latch or wide open, the tenant of each room looking after the safety of his own particular premises. The general appearance of the bloody trail and other indications seem to show that the murderer intended to make his way as rapidly as possible into the street through the house next door but one, being frightened by some noise or light in No. 29 from retreating by the way which he came. On reaching the yard of No. 25 he, it is believed, made for the back door, and then, suddenly remembering his bloodstained appearance, he must have hesitated a moment, and then, catching sight of the pieces of paper lying about, doubtless retraced his steps to the end of the yard, and there sought to remove the bloodstains. He might have had some thought of retreating by way of Bailey's premises, but the height of the walls made such a course somewhat perilous, and he finally elected to get into Hanbury-street by way of the house.

On Monday Mr. Samuel Montagu, M.P., had an interview with Chief-inspector West respecting the offer of a reward of £100. As member for the Parliamentary division of Whitechapel, Mr. Montagu was anxious to remove any slur that might remain upon his constituents, but he did not wish to do anything contrary to the policy of the police. As is well known the practice of granting money rewards for information leading to the apprehension of murderers has of late years been discountenanced by the Home Office. Mr. Montagu's proposition was submitted in writing to the Commissioner of Police, and yesterday morning he was informed that it had been duly communicated to the Home Office, whose decision, he was told, would be forwarded to him. Until late in the afternoon the expected notification had not arrived, but Mr. Montagu has authorised us to say that he adheres to his intention, and will pay the sum of £100 to the persons who may become entitled to it. The notices which appeared, in the form of handbills and posters placarded in the shop windows in Mile-end, Whitechapel, and Houndsditch, had no reference to Mr. Montagu's offer. A committee of the tradespeople and others, which is to meet every night at the Crown, Mile-end-road, were responsible for the issue of the following manifesto:

> "Finding that, in spite of murders being committed in our midst, our police force are still inadequate to discover the author or authors of the late atrocities, we, the undersigned, have formed ourselves into a committee, and intend offering a substantial reward to any one, citizen or otherwise, who shall give such information that will bring the murderer or murderers to justice."

At Camberwell Police-court yesterday John Brennan, 30, labourer, was charged before Mr. Biron, Q.C., with acting in a disorderly manner and causing a crowd to assemble at Southampton-street, Camberwell. It appeared that on Monday afternoon the prisoner entered the White Hart public-house, Southampton-street. His coat was torn up the back, and he had a very rough and strange appearance. He began talking about the tragedy at the East-end, and then added that they had not yet caught "Leather Apron," who was a "pal" of his. He proceeded to declare that he had the knife with which the deed was committed. A regular scene followed this announcement, and customers ran out of the place into the street. In a short time a crowd gathered. The landlady, feeling alarmed at what she heard, locked herself in the bar-parlour, leaving the prisoner in possession of the place. In the meantime Constable Pillow, 434 P, hastened to the house. He found a crowd assembled. As prisoner refused to go away he was taken into custody.—Brennan, who treated the whole matter as a good joke, was ordered to enter into bail to keep the peace.

At the Thames Police-court yesterday William M'Evoy, 34, a ship's fireman, was charged with being drunk, disorderly, and assaulting Constable 43 HR. Detective Sergeant Smith, H Division, stated that on Monday afternoon he was in Cable-street, St. George's, when he saw the prisoner going to different public houses demanding drink. He stated he had been locked up all day on suspicion of having committed the Whitechapel murder. When drink was refused him he made use of most obscene language. At the station he struck Constable 43 H R two violent blows. M'Evoy said he was very sorry for what happened.—Mr. Saunders sentenced him to seven days' hard labour.

At Worship-street, yesterday, Joseph Carter, 34, tinker, was charged with being drunk and disorderly at four o'clock at the police station. Police-constable 171 H said that on the previous afternoon the prisoner addressed him at the door of the Commercial-street Police Station, and said he wanted to go in to see the man charged with the Whitechapel murder. He was not sober. He would not go away, and remained outside creating a disturbance, and was eventually locked up. Mr. Bushby asked the prisoner—a rough-looking man—if he denied being drunk, and the prisoner replied that he had had a drop. Mr. Bushby: Then you will pay a fine of 5s. Prisoner: I can't pay; I've got no 5s. Mr. Bushby: Five days in default.—William Griffiths, 22, a dissipated-looking fellow, calling himself a labourer, and living in Great Garden-street, Mile-end, was charged with being drunk and disorderly in Hanbury-street, Spitalfields. Police-constable 165 H said that at about three o'clock that morning the prisoner was wandering in Hanbury-street, and witness spoke to him, asking what he was doing there. The prisoner replied by foul language. It was necessary to keep the street clear, as at present it was much frequented in consequence of the murder, and, the prisoner refusing to go away, he was taken into custody. The prisoner said he was drunk, and only went to see the house. Mr. Bushby fined him 5s for being drunk.

THE BLACKFRIARS MYSTERY.

The body of the well-dressed woman reported to have been found on the pavement in the Blackfriars-road on Saturday night under circumstances that created a suspicion of foul play has been identified as that of Mrs. Bryne, widow of the late Sergeant-Major Bryne, formerly of Canterbury. Mrs. Bryne had travelled from that town on Saturday afternoon, intending, as it was thought, to visit her sister, Miss Nelson, living at Chelsea. Deceased was to have returned to Canterbury on Sunday night, and her absence created considerable uneasiness. So far nothing has transpired to account for her presence in the Blackfriars-road, and neither of the two men who were with the body at the time the police arrived have been seen or heard of since. Dr. Leard, of St. Thomas's Hospital, assisted by another medical gentleman, yesterday made a *post-mortem* examination of the body, which lies in the Lambeth Mortuary, and the result will be communicated to the coroner's jury to-day. The superficial injuries about the shoulders at first seemed to warrant some rather alarming aspects of the case, but nothing has since occurred to throw light on the manner in which the unfortunate woman received them. The deceased's father, Mr. Nelson, of Yarmouth, accompanied by Miss Nelson and Sergeant Wakefield, of the 6th Dragoons, viewed the remains, and established beyond doubt their identity. The only child of Mrs. Bryne—a boy—resides at Yarmouth. It is remarkable that she was carrying property of some value at the time of her death, but none of it appears to have been disturbed, although the police theory is that, had not the constable been early on the scene, much, if not all, of the articles and money would have been missing.

EXTRAORDINARY ESCAPE.—It is reported that yesterday morning, shortly after four o'clock, the police on duty in the Euston-road were attracted by cries of distress. After searching some time they noticed that the sounds appeared to come from an upper storey of the Midland Grand Hotel, some 70ft to 80ft above them. The night porter and the fireman of the establishment ascended the lift on to the seventh storey, where they found a man bleeding and almost insensible from fright. He told them he was sleeping in one of the attics and dreamt that he was being pursued by two men. He supposed he opened the window to get away from them, and slid down the sloping frontage to where he was found. The distance of his fall was 30ft; and had it not been for the gutter-pipe he must have been dashed to the ground. He had received some severe cuts and bruises and a serious shock to the system.

ATTACKED BY A PIG.—About noon, yesterday, a little girl, aged four years, daughter of Mr. Francis Mills, baker, of Brokenborough, Malmesbury, was playing in the yard of the house, when she was suddenly attacked by a sow. The animal seized the child by the thigh, and swung her several times with great violence against a wall. The child's cries attracted the attention of the neighbours, who with sticks and other weapons compelled the animal to loosen its hold. It was then found that the child's thigh was broken, her legs much lacerated, and her body bruised.

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Max Greger's Carlowitz has become very popular. It is much used as a light dinner claret. Possessing dietetical powers of the highest order, it gives improved appetite and increased digestion. Price for six flagons, containing each half imperial pint, [illegible], bottles from 24s.—Max Greger Limited, Wine Merchants to the Queen, Southwark, S.E.—(ADVERTISEMENT.)

Sir Morell Mackenzie, our greatest medical authority, specially recommends the Soden Mineral Pastilles, and they are universally acknowledged the best remedy for affections of the Throat, Chest, and Lungs. Sir Morell Mackenzie's testimonial is affixed to each box.—Of all chemists, 1s. 1½d., or for 15 stamps of Soden Products Company, [illegible], Holborn.—(ADVT.)

ANOTHER LONDON TRAGEDY.

DISCOVERY AT PIMLICO.

Yet another outrage has to be added to the list of undiscovered crimes which have recently startled the inhabitants of the metropolis. Yesterday, soon after noon, the attention of several persons passing along Grosvenor-road, Pimlico, was drawn to what appeared to be a portion of a human body floating in the River Thames near Grosvenor Railway Bridge. It is stated that the object was first seen entangled among some timber floating on the riverside, and that a number of boys, imagining it to be the carcase of a drowned dog, amused themselves by pelting it with stones. A closer inspection, however, showed it to be a human arm. The police were at once sent for, and a constable who was on duty near the spot took charge of the limb, which he conveyed to the police-station at Gerald-road, Eaton-square. Dr. Thomas Neville, surgeon, of 85, Pimlico-road, and of 123, Sloane-street, subsequently made an examination of the arm, and, though he has made no official report on the subject at present, there is every reason to believe that another piece of foul play has been brought to light. It appears that the limb which has been discovered is the right arm of a female, probably of some twenty-five or thirty years of age. It has been severed at the shoulder-joint, and has the appearance of having been in the water some two or three days. The cut was not skilfully made, and was such as would be the case had the operation been performed by a person ignorant of the elements of anatomy. Round the arm and above the elbow was a piece of string, tied somewhat tightly, but not sufficiently taut to produce much of an indentation. It is thought not unlikely that the string may have been employed to prevent the blood oozing through the veins, and so causing a risk of splashing to the person disposing of the severed limb. If this was the intention the artifice was scarcely successful, as when taken from the river there was still some bleeding. Another conjecture is that the string was merely attached for the purposes of easy carriage. At any rate, this was the idea which struck the police-constable, who conveyed the limb to the police-station by means of another piece of string attached to that already round the remains.

The contour of the limb, the delicacy of the hand, and the want of muscular development clearly indicate that the arm is that of a woman, and that comparatively young. It is difficult, of course, to tell the precise age, but the examination showed that the female, whoever she was, was a well-developed person, apparently in good health. There was no trace of disease of any kind, and there were no bruises suggestive of violence, but there were one or two slight abrasions, caused probably by contact with bridges or floating timber. It is not easy to say when the limb was cut off, but Dr. Neville, we understand, inclines to the view that the knife was used very soon after death. Had the act been performed some considerable time after death the appearance of the limb would have indicated it. The suggestion was put forward that the limb probably came from a dissecting-room; but the character of the cut negatives any such theory. The arm was evidently cut through by a big, sharp instrument, compared with which the ordinary dissecting-room knife is a mere toy. Moreover, the merest tyro in the dissecting-room would not think of amputating a limb in this fashion. The theory which the police are forced to entertain is that the arm forms part of a woman who has met with a tragic end, and whose body is being disposed of in sections as opportunity offers. The single limb, which after examination was taken to the mortuary at Ebury Bridge, affords, however, no clue upon which the police authorities can act. What they have done is to order a careful search of the river for any other portions of the remains, and should these be discovered by the river police identification may be possible. So far the police see no reason to connect the discovery with any of the cases of mysterious disappearance frequently reported to them; although the remains were found in the river off Pimlico, they do not at present associate the supposed crime with any particular district. At the time of the discovery it was about low water. The dismembered limb may therefore have floated down from Richmond or from Chelsea. On the other hand, the preceding flood-tide may have sent it up the river from Woolwich or Wapping. All that can be said is that the Thames has yielded up evidence of another horrible deed, committed certainly within the last two or three days.

IRISH NATIONAL LEAGUE.

The fortnightly meeting of the National League was held yesterday in the offices, Upper Sackville-street. Mr. Daniel Crilly, M.P., presided. Mr. T. Harrington, M.P., the secretary, announced that the receipts since last meeting amounted to £1,833 19s 10d, of which £1,632 2s 4d was received from Australia through the Roman Catholic Archbishop of Dublin. £415 10s was granted to evicted tenants.

The Chairman said he thought they would all agree with him that the report which had just been read most satisfactorily and abundantly proved that the Irish people were as determined as ever to support the cause of freedom. It was said in some of the English and Irish papers that the people of this country were becoming faint-hearted because the receipts announced at the last meeting were not as large as previously; but he thought that the report that had been just read proved that those statements were false as regards the Irish people both at home and abroad. It was simply amazing, for instance, how the indemnity fund was being supported, and showed conclusively that the trust felt in Mr. Parnell by his countrymen was never greater than at present. The policy of Mr. Parnell was for the present quietness; he was playing a waiting game, and the national leaders desired to prove to the world that the Irish people when necessary could display the doggedness, patience, and quietness which will in time bring to Ireland that great blessing for which they were all striving. It was no doubt sometimes very hard to bear with the great injustices which were being perpetrated by the Government throughout the country; but the leaders had determined that the Irish people should for the sake of their English allies put up with those atrocities and infamies. If it was necessary that the Irish race should show their courage and determination the national leaders were assured that the people would act as bravely and as fiercely as they did in '98 or at any other period. (Cheers.) The Irish people would never abandon the cause as long as they existed as a race—(cheers)—and would continue to be fearless and unconquerable. The speech for which Mr. John Redmond was being prosecuted was as constitutional as any Mr. Balfour or any one else ever delivered. The Government must be hard pressed to fill the gaols when they prosecuted a man for such a speech. He (the speaker) believed that if the speech delivered by Mr. Redmond was printed verbatim and distributed throughout England it would do a great amount of good for the Irish cause.

MR. [illegible], M.P., said that the landlords were raising a storm in Ireland this year, and in the track of that storm the Irish people would follow, and he told the Irish landlords there that day that if they had to curse this winter they would have to curse the evictions. (Loud cheers.) They would show the Irish farmers in this bad harvest how to face their landlords in combination; sweeping reductions would have to be made. (Cheers.) The shopkeeper and the banker should be paid first, and if anything was left let it be given to the landlord. That was no dishonest doctrine. For years past the landlords had been paid in advance, and if for ten years to come the tenants never paid a penny to the landlords it would neither be immoral nor unjust. (Cheers.) The Irish tenants were dealing with robbers—(loud cheers)—and a question for the tenants was how they could, how the people could, save from the rapacious maw of the landlords. (Cheers.) Whatever they could save from the landlords let the people save in this harvest. Let them strike at the landlords' pockets, and so striking they would strike at as tender a part as if they struck at the chief artery in their body. (Cheers.) That is what he would say there; that is what he would say elsewhere. Let evictions go on; let prosecutions go on—they cared not for them. (Cheers.) They would hold their meetings promptly and quietly, and in places where Balfour and his minions would not find them out. The landlords and the Tory Government had been rejoicing at the evictions and prosecutions of the past fortnight, but he would tell the landlords who were rejoicing that they would yet curse Clanricarde; and he would tell them, too, that they would give many a landlord a precious task in trying to cope with his own tenantry this winter. (Cheers.) As for the Tory Government, they would give them so much to do in dealing with the leaders of the people that they would have no time to deal with the unfortunate people themselves. He would also tell the landlords that they were bringing the crowbar brigade to their own doors. (Cheers.) And he would say, too, that many a proud mansion to-day holding the rejoicing and evicting landlord would yet come down level to the dust before the power of the Irish people (loud cheers)—and if in the crumbling of those walls the landlords perished, then he (the speaker) would say, "Serve them right." (Prolonged cheers.)

The Rev. HENRY STUART FAGAN, of Norfolk, said the present was a national movement, and they knew nothing of religious differences. He had just come from an interview with Tom Moroney, and the first thing Tom said to him was, "I am glad to see you, sir." There was no such thing as religious bigotry in their movement, which was purely national. He (the speaker) was glad to assure them that Tom Moroney was in good spirits. With reference to boycotting, he knew two Irish Protestant clergymen who were reduced to very straitened circumstances in consequence of their being boycotted for becoming Home Rulers. From all he could see, he did not believe Mr. Balfour had put Ireland down. (Cheers.)

The proceedings shortly after terminated.

On Monday the traffic receipts of the Suez Canal amounted to 130,000f, against 130,000f on the corresponding day of last year.

EDUCATION IN ENGLAND, FRANCE, AND GERMANY, AT EXACTLY THE SAME COST AS IN ENGLAND ALONE.—HAYSMAN'S SYSTEM OF INTERNATIONAL EDUCATION. Founded [illegible]. Mr. Haysman attends 3, Moorgate-st., one o'clock on Wednesday. 1. Commercial or Professional Education. Ages of pupils 7 to 18. Preparation for Army, Legal, and Medical Exams., if required. 2. Pupils can study entirely at Finchley-road, London, or may go for short or long periods to Paris, Boulogne, or Germany, without any extra charge, trouble, or anxiety to parents. 3. Only Boarders received at Anglo-French and German College, Finchley-road, London, also at Paris, Boulogne, Bonn, Hanover. 4. Daily pupils at International Coll., Finchley rd., and Richmond. 5. North London and Metropolitan railways issue tickets at reduced fares to Daily Pupils from all parts of London and the suburbs. 6. In Paris where there are ten French pupils to one English. Entire care of youths from India, America, Colonies. Address Secretary, Anglo-French College, Finchley-road, London. Pupils are also received abroad to study French or German only. N.B.—Pupils start for Paris, Boulogne, &c., [illegible].—(ADVT.)

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[FROM OUR SPECIAL CORRESPONDENT.]

HEREFORD, TUESDAY.

That Birmingham entered upon its Festival a fortnight ago amid clouds and gloom, rain and mud, and that here the opening day has been one of glorious sunshine, may be taken as an example of partiality in providential arrangements, but it is not a contrast of which the Hereford folk complain. They are remarkably cheerful because of the fair weather, and with a light heart betook themselves this morning to finishing the decoration of their ancient and interesting city. The result of their labours is, on the whole, a satisfaction to the eye. I miss the pretty vistas created by the uniform adornment of 1882 and 1885, but the citizens have contrived to give their streets plenty of colour, and, in some localities, effectively to reproach those among them whose indifference or laziness has allowed an opportunity of showing public spirit to pass unregarded. It is impossible, however, to praise the decorative taste of the inhabitants. Their ideas in this respect are very primitive, and work out a humiliating contrast with what is effected by even the smallest Continental town on like occasions. There are still some things they do better abroad.

The observances of to-day began with a service in the Cathedral at an early hour, the members of the Three Choirs assisting, and a sermon being preached on behalf of the charity by the Rev. Sir F. Gore Ouseley, Bart., Canon Residentiary, Oxford Professor of Music, and composer of one of the works ("St. Polycarp") in the Festival programme. A considerable congregation assembled, as usual on these occasions, the attraction to many being, without doubt, a good selection of sacred music rendered by a large and thoroughly efficient choir, with Mr. C. Lee Williams, the able organist of Gloucester Cathedral, presiding at the instrument. Choice had fallen upon Hopkins's "Service" in C, and Dr. S. S. Wesley's famous and magnificent anthem, "Ascribe unto the Lord." The last-named, executed in admirable style, must have made a great impression upon amateurs who heard it. Though second in general interest, perhaps, to its beautiful sister, "The wilderness shall rejoice and blossom as the rose," "Ascribe unto the Lord" is worthy of the noblest page in the library of English church music, combining as it does the product of genius with the comparative freedom of modern expression, and that with the loftiness and dignity which characterise the best anthems of our Church. Sir F. G. Ouseley took as his text 1 Peter iii., 8: "Finally, brethren, be of one mind," &c., basing upon the apostle's injunction to love, pitifulness, and courtesy a very practical discourse. The preacher confined himself to the exposition and application of the Scriptural words, making not the slightest reference to music. I should add that the service was attended by the Bishop of the diocese, and also by the Mayor and sundry members of the Town Council, who proceeded to and from the cathedral "in state," according to ancient and commendable usage.

This afternoon there was a large but scarcely a crowded gathering at the performance of Mendelssohn's "Elijah." Empty seats were not difficult to explain, seeing that Madame Albani took no part in the oratorio, and that the "Golden Legend" will be given this evening with the assistance of the popular soprano. But none the less were they to be regretted, in so far, at all events, as they tended to create a false impression with regard to the position of the greatest oratorio of modern times. The solos in "Elijah" were entrusted to Miss Anna Williams, Madame Enriquez, Mr. Lloyd, and Mr. Santley, whose colleagues in the concerted pieces were Miss Ambler, Mrs. Andrews, Mr. Castings, Mr. Banks, Mr. Ineson, and Mr. Brereton. With regard to three of the four principals there is little need to speak, though they were not, be it said, equally up to the standard established by previous efforts. Madame Enriquez is less often heard at festivals—for what reason I am unable to imagine—wherefore it is but just to point out that she sang excellently well, and in especial gave the fine air "Woe unto them" with a truth and force of expression which made it conspicuous among the successes of the day. The general performance was effective almost as a matter of course, since hardly could perverseness spoil an "Elijah," but no one will claim for it entire freedom from blemish. To mention but one instance, the impassioned solo of Elijah, "Lord my God, let the spirit of this child return again, that he may live," had its cadence spoiled by the conductor, whose fault was wholly without excuse. The chorus and orchestra did capital work throughout. Their efforts, indeed, made up the one thoroughly satisfactory feature in the performance. A short form of prayer preceded and followed the oratorio.

The engagement of a military band to play in an open space *pro bono publico* is peculiar to Hereford as a festival observance, and was made for the first time, if I am not mistaken, in 1885. It may fairly take rank among other admirable innovations due to the plucky city on the Wye, and is none the less to be commended because in some sort it makes a festival for the working classes, and enables them to have a share in the enjoyments of the week. This afternoon the band took possession of a gaily-decorated pavilion at the High Town and played a long selection of pieces, for the best part well chosen. In the evening—the pavilion having meanwhile been made gayer than ever by coloured lamps—the military musicians went through a second programme, to the huge delight of their many auditors. So it would be, weather permitting, on each day of the Festival! and I do not know that a more interesting and satisfactory feature could be presented to those whose means enable them to attend the important performance elsewhere. Anyhow, it removes the disagreeable feeling that thousands are debarred by circumstances from participating in pleasure reserved for a few.

This evening, in the Shire Hall, Sir Arthur Sullivan conducted a performance of his "Golden Legend," having come down from London an hour or two before in order to do so. Again this most popular cantata commanded a crowded house, every seat being occupied. There is at present no sort of indication that the star of "The Golden Legend" has reached its zenith. Though given everywhere again and again, the public are eager to hear it once more. No festival managers venture to leave it out of their programme, and Sir Arthur Sullivan might, if he pleased, spend his time in running from place to place to see his work safely through the executive ordeal. A better testimony to its extraordinary worth hardly need be desired. It is all very well to pooh-pooh public taste, but the practically unanimous testimony of English amateurs cannot be scoffed away. It remains a very stubborn fact, and, as I believe, a fortunate one also, because sympathies are enlisted on the side of rational, intelligible, and beautiful music. The performance given here was happy in the co-operation of a chorus mainly composed of members of the Leeds Festival choir. These full voices and well-drilled singers answered for their share of the work in an admirable manner, but the orchestra was often much too noisy, playing in a small and resonant room with all the energy possible. I have had to point out this on former occasions, but the performers are as far as ever from taking the locale into account. By the way, the remark just made applies no less to some of the principal vocalists, who were equally regardless of acoustical conditions, and worked a great deal harder than was required. The solo artists were Madame Albani, Miss Hilda Wilson, Mr. Stanley Smith, and Mr. Brereton. As the three first-named have been repeatedly heard in Sir Arthur Sullivan's work, it is enough to state that they in no sense departed from the standard of previous performances. What was excellent before appeared again worthy of praise, but a special word is due to Mr. Brereton, who, I believe, sang the music of Lucifer for the first time, and did so without rehearsal. It is pleasant to credit the young artist with a great success due as regards emphasis and expression. Mr. Brereton may be commended also for an intelligent attempt at characterisation, as far as that is possible on the concert platform. He certainly made the utterances of Lucifer sardonic, and by other means, often slight, helped to suggest the personage whose words he spoke. That the cantata was much applauded, that the artists engaged shared in the compliments of the audience, and that Sir Arthur Sullivan had a triumph need not be insisted on.

According to the official figures there was after all nearly an average attendance at "Elijah" this morning, the shortcoming being only twenty. On the other hand, the collection for the charity amounted to but £146 odd, as against £288 in 1885, and was £148 below the average of the last three festivals. This, however, simply means that several large cheques usually received on the opening day were held over, and will swell the receipts later on.

FATAL DISASTER ON A CAPE STEAMER.—A singular and fatal disaster occurred in the docks at Cape Town on Monday night. A fire broke out in the coal bunker of the mail steamer Pembroke Castle, and ten coolies were suffocated before help could reach them. Three of the crew and three officers, while trying to effect the rescue of the coolies, were overcome by the fumes and are now lying in a precarious condition. The damage to the ship and cargo is not extensive.—*Reuter.*

Yes, Rupture can be cured, and without operation, but only by the American method, discovered and practised by Dr. J. A. Sherman, 64, Chancery-lane. Our advice is consult him, throw away your life-torturing trusses, be cured and happy. Send 6d. in stamps for his books of American and English cures and [illegible].—(ADVERTISEMENT.)

GERMAN COURT AND POLITICS.

[TELEGRAM FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.]

BERLIN, SEPT. 11.

About two hours after midnight the Kaiser reached Bremerhaven in order to witness the Naval-manœuvres, from which he will return to-morrow night, reaching Berlin early on Thursday morning. His Majesty met with a most enthusiastic reception from the people everywhere.

The Kaiserin contemplates leaving Potsdam at the end of this month with her children for Primkenau for a couple of weeks. Her Majesty will travel *incognita*.

Kaiserin Augusta has arrived safely at Baden-Baden.

For the approaching elections to the Prussian Diet the two Conservative parties and the National Liberals appear to have renewed their compact in most of the constituencies, and to have agreed not to act in a hostile spirit against one another in those places where they do not pledge themselves to act together.

About Christmas a German translation of "Olivia" will be given at the Lessing Theater.

[REUTER'S TELEGRAMS.]

BERLIN, SEPT. 11.

Dr. Pape, President of the Commission for drawing up the New German Code of Civil Law, died at three o'clock this afternoon.

ROME, SEPT. 11.

It is announced from Berlin that the Emperor William will arrive here on the 11th prox. at two in the afternoon.

THE EUROPEAN SITUATION.

[TELEGRAMS FROM OUR CORRESPONDENTS.]

VIENNA, SEPT. 11.

It will be remembered that in his recent speech at Frankfort, the German Emperor rather surprised his hearers by stating with emphasis that Germany would never give up one inch of the territory she had annexed. In some quarters this was erroneously supposed to be a hint to France, but eventually it transpired that the Kaiser's words were addressed elsewhere. They are now amply accounted for by the St. Petersburg correspondent of the Stockholm *Tagblatt*, who is generally well-informed.

According to that authority, during the Emperor William's visit to Peterhof no mention whatever was made of the "Schleswig question," but just at the moment of leave-taking on board the "Hohenzollern," a lady of exalted rank, with the finesse of her sex, made some passing reference to it. The German Emperor was completely taken aback and said nothing, but his speech at Frankfort contained a significant answer.

ST. PETERSBURG, SEPT. 10.

Great diplomatic pressure is now being exerted to induce the Persian Government to grant a railway concession to Russian capitalists.

Some of the Russian organs declare that the late Imperial meeting at Peterhof completely failed in improving Russo-German relations.

Count Herbert von Bismarck, it is stated, is coming to Kurland to visit Count Paul Schouvaloff.

[REUTER'S TELEGRAM.]

TURIN, SEPT. 11.

King Humbert has created Signor Crispi a Knight of the Order of the Santissima Annunziata, which is regarded as an indisputable proof of his Majesty's sympathy and friendship for his Prime Minister.

AMERICAN MARKETS.

[REUTER'S TELEGRAMS.]

NEW YORK, Sept. 11.—Stocks opened firm and active. Business remained buoyant until midday, when a reaction set in, which, however, was not maintained. The market towards the close recovered and left off very firm. Money easy. Petroleum and sugar quiet but steady. Flour quieter. Tin dull. Iron strong.

	Yesterday's Prices.	To-day's Prices.
Call Money, U.S. Government Bonds	1½ p.c.	1½ p.c.
Call Money, Other Securities	1½ p.c.	1½ p.c.
Exchange on London, Sixty Days	4 84½	4 84½
Cable Transfers	4 88½	4 88½
Exchange on Paris (60 days' sight)	5 23¾	5 23¾
Exchange on Berlin (60 days' sight)	94¾	94¾
Four per Cent. U.S. Funded Loan	129¼	129¼
Western Union Telegraph Shares	85¼	85¼
Canada Southern Shares	54¼	53
Canadian Pacific Shares	56¼	57¼
Central of New Jersey Shares	90¼	90¼
Central Pacific Shares	36½	36½
Chicago, Burlington, and Quincy	113	114
Chicago and North-West. Ordinary	114¼	115¼
Chicago and North-West. Pref. Shrs. x d	143¼	143¼
Chicago, Milwaukee, & St. Paul Shrs.	70½	71½
Chicago, Milwaukee, &c., Preferred	111¼	111¼
Delaware, Lackawanna, and Western	143¾	144¼
Denver and Rio Grande Shares	20	20½
Illinois Central Shares	120	120
Lake Shore and Michigan Southern	97¼	99¼
Louisville and Nashville Shares	60	61
Michigan Central Shares	85¼	86¼
Missouri, Kansas, and Texas Shares	13¼	12¼
New York, Lake Erie, and Western	29	29¼
New York, ditto, 2nd Mort. Bnds.	100¼	101¼
New York Central and Hudson River	109	109
New York, Ontario, and Western	17	17¼
Northern Pacific Common Stock	29	29¼
Northern Pacific Preferred Stock	63	63¼
Norfolk and Western Pref. Shares	56¼	57¼
Ohio and Mississippi Shares	25	25¼
Oregon and Trans-Continental	31¼	31¼
Philadelphia and Reading Shares	53¼	54
St. Louis & San Francisco Com. Shrs.	33¼	37¼
St. Louis & San Francisco Pref. Shrs.	72¼	72¼
St. Louis & S. Frncsco. First Prf. Shrs.	113	113
Union Pacific Shares	61¼	61¼
Wabash, S. Louis, & Pacific Com. Shrs.	14	14
Wabash, S. Louis, & Pacific Pref. Shrs.	27¼	27¼
Cotton, Day's Receipts at U.S. Ports	13,000	7,000
Cotton, Day's Export to Great Britain	8,000	3,000
Cotton, Day's Export to Continent	2,000	0
Cotton, Middling Upland, on spot	10½	10½
Petroleum, Crude	6¾	6¾
Petroleum, Standard White	7¼	7¼
Petroleum, Pipe Line Certificates	94¼	94¼
Spirits of Turpentine	36¼	36¼
Lard, Wilcox's	10 10	10 10
Lard, Wilcox's Futures (Oct. del.)	10 10	10 10
Lard, Fairbank's	10 00	10 00
Tallow, Prime City	5¼	5¼
Sugar, Fair Refining Muscovadoes	5⅛	5⅛
Corn, New Western	55	55
Wheat, Spring, No. 2, Chicago	100¼	99
Wheat, Red Winter, on spot	100	98¼
Coffee, Fair Rio, on spot	15	15¼
Coffee, Good Rio, on spot	15¼	15¼
Flour, Extra State Shipping Brands	3.40 3.60	3.40 3.60
Iron, Coltness, No. 1	20 25	21 00
Tin, Straits	23 00	23 25
Steel Rails	29	29
Copper (Oct. delivery)	16.75 bid	16 50
Freight Petroleum to United Kingdm.	*3s 10½d	†3s 10½d
Freight for Grain, strs. to L'pool, pr. bl.	5d	4½d
Freight ditto London, do.	6d	6d
Freight for Cotton to Liverpool	7-32	7-32
PHILADELPHIA.		
Pennsylvania Railroad Shares	55¼	56¼
Petroleum, Standard White	7¼	7¼
NEW ORLEANS.		
Cotton, Middling, on spot	10	10

* † To arrive 5s.

PRICES FOR FUTURE DELIVERY.

NEW YORK, SEPT. 11.

COTTON.—September, 9.65; October, 9.69; November, 9.67; December, 9.68. 1889—January, 9.75; February, 9.83. March, 9.90; April, 10.00; May, 10.08. Sales, 79,200 bales.

WHEAT.—September, 97⅞; October, 98⅛; November, 99⅜; December, 100⅜. 1889—January, 101⅜; February, —; May, 105⅜. Receipts: Atlantic ports, 180,000 bushels. Clearances: Atlantic ports, 30,000 bushels. Sales: Futures, 10,112,000 bushels; spot, 94,000 bushels.

CORN.—September, 54⅜; October, 54⅜; November, 54⅜; December, 52⅜. 1889—January, 50⅜. Receipts: Atlantic ports, 130,000 bushels. Clearances: Atlantic ports, 40,000 bushels. Sales: Futures, 1,240,000 bushels; spot, 230,000 bushels.

COFFEE.—September, 12.35 to 12.40; October, 11.90 to 11.95; November, 11.30 to 11.35; December, 11.00 to 11.05. 1889—January, 10.80 to 10.85; February, 10.75 to 10.80; March, 10.70 to 10.75; April, 10.70 to 10.75; May, 10.70 to 10.75, June, 10.70 to 10.75. Sales: 72,500 bags.

LARD.—September, 10.28; October, 10.16; November, 9.50. December, 8.80. Sales: 6,000 tierces.

PETROLEUM.—Sales: 1,627,000 barrels; Pipe Line runs, 36,000 barrels. Shipment from regions, 75,000 barrels.

CHICAGO, SEPT. 11.

WHEAT.—September, 90⅜; October, 90; November, 90½; December, 90⅞. 1889—May, 95⅞. Receipts: Western Points, 590,000 bushels.

CORN.—September, 45¼; October, 45; November, —; December, 39¼. 1889—January, —; May, 39¼. Receipts: Western Points, 410,000 bushels.

LARD.—September, 10.00; October, 10.00; November, 9.00; December, 8.50. 1889—January, 8.30.

PORK.—September, 14.40; November, 14.10. Year, 13.95. Ribs: September, 8.80; October, 8.80. 1889—January, 7.15. Bacon: Halves, clear middle, 9.10; light hogs, 6.00; heavy hogs, 6.56. Hogs: Receipts, Western Cities, 26,000; Chicago, 11,000.

A RIDE THROUGH SPACE.—The American aeronaut at the Alexandra Palace purposes to-morrow to outstrip all his previous performances on the occasion of his first English benefit. Unless the wind is very high it is Baldwin's intention to go up two miles before leaving his balloon. Of course should there be a strong northerly wind Baldwin cannot go so high as he otherwise would. Professor Baldwin has built a new balloon which he intends to use to-morrow, and which will be named the Alexandra.

THE SECRET OF SUCCESS.—Important to All.—"A new invention is brought before the public, and commands success. A score of abominable imitations are immediately introduced by the unscrupulous, who, in copying the original closely enough to deceive the public, and yet not so exactly as to infringe upon legal rights, exercise an ingenuity that, employed in an original channel, could not fail to secure reputation and profit."—Adams. Caution: Examine each bottle, and see the capsule is marked "Eno's Fruit Salt." Without it you have been imposed on by a worthless imitation.—All Chemists. Prepared only at Eno's Fruit Salt Works, London, S.E., by J. C. Eno's Patent.—(ADVT.)

FLOODS ON THE CONTINENT.

ST. MORITZ UNDER WATER.

[TELEGRAM FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.]

VIENNA, SEPT. 11.

The continued rising of the waters in the Tyrol is causing widespread alarm amongst the population. The river Inn, one of the principal streams in that part of Austria, has reached four *mètres* above its normal level. In many places it has not only washed away embankments of massive masonry, bridges, and mills, but has flooded valleys and destroyed the late Autumn and Winter crops. Although no loss of life has been hitherto reported, minor casualties constantly occur, and, now that the Adige and the Eisack have overflowed their beds, a vast catastrophe seems but too probable. The mountain rapids are uprooting large tracts of forest land. Great quantities of fuel piled up for shipment on the river banks have been swept away.

The incessant rain of the last few days has submerged the low-lying valleys in the Bozen district, and has totally destroyed many vineyards. The torrents of rain which fell near the town of Campiglio caused huge boulders to roll down the rocks, while landslips have annihilated the gardens and orchards on the mountain slopes. To add to the prevailing distress Winter is close at hand, and the population of the agricultural districts, having lost their harvests, are in a piteous condition indeed.

[REUTER'S TELEGRAMS.]

BERNE, SEPT. 11.

The Engadine has recently been visited by torrential rains, which have caused floods in many places.

The village of St. Moritz is under water.

Landslips and falls of rock are reported in various parts.

INNSBRUCK, SEPT. 11.

Further devastation has been caused by the floods here. Several dams have burst, and railway communication with the South is only possible as far as Roveredo. The portion of the town lying nearest the River Inn is flooded, and the water is rising almost everywhere. Rain continues to fall incessantly.

ROME, SEPT. 11.

The latest advices from Northern Italy state that the floods there have assumed a less serious aspect. From Verona it is announced that the waters of the Adige are falling.

THE "SERVIAN SCANDAL."

[REUTER'S TELEGRAM.]

BELGRADE, SEPT. 11.

It is stated on good authority that M. Ristics has declared his readiness to undertake the task of forming a new Cabinet, provided King Milan withdraws his petition for a divorce, and consents to come to an understanding with the Queen.

EARTHQUAKE SHOCKS IN GREECE.

[REUTER'S TELEGRAMS.]

ATHENS, SEPT. 10.

M. Tricoupis, the Premier, accompanied by several high officials, will start at midnight in order to visit the scene of the earthquake at Vostitza.

ATHENS, SEPT. 11.

No further shocks of earthquake have been felt since yesterday. The damage caused by the visitation is estimated at two million drachmas. At Vostitza scarcely a house remains habitable, the Treasury and the other public buildings, as well as the private residences, being laid in ruins. The ovens have been destroyed, and much distress consequently exists, for the relief of which quantities of bread and biscuits have been sent.

Shocks have been also felt at Missolonghi. The direction taken by the earthquake was towards the north-west.

SOUTH AFRICA.

DINIZULU AND THE BOERS.

[REUTER'S TELEGRAMS.]

PIETERMARITZBURG, SEPT. 11.

The Transvaal Border Commissioner, Mr. Lucas Meyer, who left Vryheid last month in command of an armed force, with orders to capture Dinizulu, has returned there, and reports that the Zulus have been disarmed, and that Dinizulu has surrendered solely to the Transvaal Government on the assurance that they will not hand him over to the English.

He is now in the custody of the Transvaal police. He is ill at the present time, but when he has recovered he will be taken to Vryheid.

It is believed that Undabuko has fled to Tongaland, and that he is entirely without followers.

DURBAN, AUG. 22 (VIÂ PLYMOUTH).

The *Komatie Observer* states that in anticipation of the complete downfall of the Shepstone Government in Swaziland, the Ferriera party had formulated a plot by which the notorious ex-Goshenite freebooter was to become adviser to the King, while a triumvirate of Boers was to conduct affairs during the short interval that would elapse until the day when a Republic should be proclaimed. The plot failed through the complete settlement that was effected at the recent conference, and through the over-eagerness of the conspirators to gain adherents amongst the more respectable class of Boers. It now appears certain that the provisional Swazie Government in power has the confidence of the King and white residents. The King has lately developed a desire to retain one supreme power in the country, trusting very little to the Indunas, whom he merely instructs how to speak at meetings. This centralisation of authority will enable the committee to come to a more absolute understanding with the King on matters of government.

UNITED STATES.

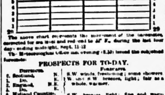
[REUTER'S TELEGRAMS.]

WASHINGTON, Sept. 11.—President Cleveland has appointed Mr. Lambert Tree, United States Minister to Belgium, to be Minister to Russia, in the place of Mr. George V. N. Lothrop, who has resigned that post.

NEW YORK, Sept. 11.—The Republicans have carried Maine by an increased majority, electing the entire delegation to Congress.

A despatch from Augusta states that the Savannah River is rising, and that the town is flooded. The cotton factories at the west end of the town have stopped work, and merchants are removing their goods.

"DAILY TELEGRAPH" WEATHER OBSERVATIONS.



The above chart represents the movement of the barometer, corrected for sea level and reduced to 32° F., during the last four days ending midnight, Sept. 11-12.

The Meteorological Office last evening (8.30) issued the subjoined forecasts:

PROSPECTS FOR TO-DAY.

Districts.		Forecasts.
0. Scotland,	N.	S.W. winds, freshening; some showers.
1. Do.	E.	W. and S.W. breezes, light; fair as a whole, warmer.
2. England,	N.E.	
3. Do.	E.	
4. Midland Counties.		S.W. breezes, light; fine and warm after a cold, dewy night.
5. England, (with London and Channel)	S.	
6. Scotland,	W.	Same as No. 0.
7. England, (and N. Wales)	N.W.	
8. England, (and S. Wales)	S.W.	Same as No. 5.
9. Ireland,	N.	S.W. breezes, freshening; showery in the W., fair in the E.
10. Do.	S.	

ROBERT H. SCOTT, Secretary.

LATEST INDICATIONS.

"DAILY TELEGRAPH" OFFICE, WEDNESDAY (2 A.M.)

Bar.	Therm.	Wind.	Weather.
30·36 Rising.	52°	N.W. Calm.	Clear.

Our correspondents forward the following latest telegraphic reports:

[illegible].—Bar. 30·48, rising; wind W.N.W.; weather fine.
[illegible].—Bar. 30·35, rising; wind W., light; weather fine and cold.
CORK.—Bar. 30·40, rising; weather fine.
[illegible].—Bar. 30·217, rising; wind W., rather fresh; therm. 57·6°; weather showery.
KIRKWALL (ORKNEY) (7.25 p.m.).—Bar. 30·31; wind N.W.; therm. 54; weather, a heavy fog.
LIVERPOOL.—Bar. 30·315; wind N.N.W., moderate; weather fine and bracing.
PARIS.—Bar. 30·27; therm. at noon, 62°; weather very fine.
FOLKESTONE (9.0 p.m.).—Wind W.N.W., light; weather fine; bar. 30·40, rising; smooth passages across the Channel.
PRAWLE POINT (dusk).—Wind W., light; fine; sea smooth.
DOVER.—Bar. 30·10, rising; wind W. by N., light; weather fine; sea smooth; steamboats had good passages across the Channel.

According to the meteorological reports, it seems probable that a new, but not deep, depression will be approaching our Northern coasts from the Atlantic, and that showers will prevail in those districts generally, while fine and warmer weather will be felt in the South.

Scarlatina has again broken out in the vicinity of Clifden, and at Roundstone a number of deaths have already occurred, and the National Schools are closed at the village of Millbrook, about ten miles from Clifden.

COURT OF BANKRUPTCY—SEPT. 11.

(Before the OFFICIAL RECEIVER.)

RE E. BURGESS SMITH.—This debtor was a stockbroker, carrying on business at Tokenhouse-buildings, E.C., and recently had a receiving order made against him upon a creditor's petition. This was the first meeting of creditors.—Mr. Shireff, on behalf of the debtor, proposed a scheme winding-up the estate as in bankruptcy with a trustee. He pointed out that the debtor's position had been brought about mainly in consequence of the heavy obligations he had undertaken on behalf of his father, and which he had honourably met. He was desirous of avoiding an adjudication, as it would prevent his continuing his business hereafter and paying his creditors as he hoped to do.—Some discussion took place, in which Mr. Brandon and Mr. Marshall and the chairman having pointed to the difficulty of obtaining the Court's confirmation of the scheme, resolutions were passed winding-up the estate in bankruptcy, with Mr. W. S. Ogle, accountant, as trustee, and a committee of inspection.

POLICE INTELLIGENCE.

CITY SUMMONS COURT.—RUNNING DOWN A "REGIMENT."—*William Flush*, a cabdriver in the employ of the Earl of Shrewsbury, was summoned for driving his horse and cab to the common danger of the public, in Queen Victoria-street.—Police-constable Pegram, 465, said that on the afternoon of the 31st ult. he saw the defendant driving a horse and hansom cab at a rate of about eleven miles an hour under the arch in Queen Victoria-street. A regiment of soldiers were crossing from Blackfriars, and witness shouted to the defendant to steady his pace, but he took no heed. He was talking to his fare through the flap in the roof at the time, and in another moment he had driven right into the soldiers, scattering them in all directions.—Defendant said he was following his line of traffic when a van in front of him suddenly pulled on one side, and before he could stop he was in the midst of the soldiers. The soldiers were on the wrong side of the road, and that being so he considered they were most to blame. He certainly did not expect suddenly to come upon a regiment of soldiers on his off side.—Mr. Alderman Evans said the policeman ought to have cautioned the officer in charge of the soldiers that he had no right to be on the off side of the road. He thought some amount of blame was due to the officer, and he should only fine the defendant 2s 6d and costs.

BOW-STREET.—ALLEGED CONSPIRACY.—*Thomas Wm. Hollington*, of 25, Walworth-road, *Sidney Paul Ham*, of Basinghall-chambers, Bishopsgate-street; *Wm. Dear*, of Tankerville-court, Enfield-road, Southgate; *Robert Heath*, 24 and 25, St. George's-place, Knightsbridge; and *Robert Stevens Fraser*, solicitor, of 4, Finsbury-circus, were summoned to appear to answer the charge of conspiring together to cheat and defraud Henry Elford and others to contravene the Bankruptcy Laws, and to make and utter divers false documents, deeds, and papers in connection with the bankruptcy of the defendant Wm. Dear.—Mr. Besley appeared in support of the summonses; Mr. Cooper Willis, Q.C., defended Mr. Fraser, and Mr. Mead defended Heath.—Mr. Besley, in his opening statement alleged that the estate of the defendant Dear had not been fully disclosed, and that the defendants had been parties to the concealment.—Formal evidence only was adduced, and the case was adjourned.

MARLBOROUGH-STREET.—COSTERMONGERS AT THE WEST-END.—*Michael O'Leary*, a costermonger, from Goldsmith's-court, Drury-lane, was summoned by the police for obstructing the carriage way of King-street, Regent-street, by means of his barrow, on Aug. 30.—The offence having been formally proved, Inspector Piper said that complaints about men of the defendant's class interfering with the traffic were frequent, and several tradesmen were in court for the purpose of supporting the police in the matter.—At the suggestion of the magistrate a gentleman stepped into the witness box as a representative of the tradesmen in King-street. He said that he had no desire whatever to interfere with these people earning a living, but they were undoubtedly a great nuisance to the residents. He objected principally to their shouting.—Mr. Hannay observed that if it were a question of singing an obscene ditty or using objectionable language he could deal with the matter, but, if they merely shouted out a description of their wares, the Police Act would not touch them. The complainants must go to the Legislature for that. Costermongers were an exceptionally privileged class, for, subject to certain regulations, they were permitted to use the streets as they chose for business purposes. Those regulations, however, they must obey, and, as the defendant appeared to have infringed them, he must pay a fine of 5s and 2s costs.

MARYLEBONE.—RAILWAY ROBBERIES.—*George Peacock*, 23, a ship's stoker, of Stangate, Westminster, and *James Smith*, 22, a "theatrical," of the same address, were charged with being concerned in stealing from Euston Station a travelling bag, containing a quantity of wearing apparel and other property to the value of £10, belonging to Miss Dosie Fraser, of Ardin Craig, Navin, N.B.; also from Waterloo Station a leather portmanteau and contents, worth £8, belonging to Frederick F. Bailhache, of Pembury-grove, Lower Clapton; a portmanteau and contents, worth £2 10s, belonging to Jane Hayes, of 36, Hyde Park-gardens; and two boxes and contents, belonging to John Michael Peacock, a cape merchant, of Lower Addiscombe-road, Croydon, from Charing-cross Station.—Mr. C. F. Hockin, solicitor, prosecuted on behalf of the London and North-Western Railway Company; Mr. H. Harris for the South-Eastern Railway Company; and Mr. Horace Avory, barrister, represented the South-Western Railway Company.—The evidence was that Detective-sergeants Kynaston and Johnson, railway police, saw the prisoners at Euston Station, and having reason to suspect them they watched them for three hours, and saw them more than once attempt to steal passengers' luggage. At last Peacock picked up Miss Fraser's portmanteau, and he and Smith were walking out of the station with it when the officers arrested them. On being searched pawntickets were found on them, which led to the other property being traced.—The prisoner Peacock pleaded guilty to all the charges, but Smith denied the charges. Mr. De Rutzen committed both prisoners to take their trial at the Central Criminal Court.

CLERKENWELL.—EMBEZZLEMENT.—*Samuel Pratt*, aged 35, of 9, Myddleton-buildings, High-street, was charged on remand with embezzling, on Aug. 27, the sum of £35 11s 3d, and on Aug. 18 the sum of £2 17s 4d and divers other sums, received by him for and on account of his employers, Messrs. Carter, Paterson, and Co.—Mr. Popham, solicitor, who appeared for the prosecution, said that upon investigation it was found that the prisoner had embezzled sums to the extent of £300. Prisoner had been in the employ of the prosecutors as clerk and collector, and it was part of his duty to collect outstanding accounts. It was proved that he had received the sums specified, and failed to account for them.—Detective-sergeant Merroney apprehended the prisoner at Yarmouth. When the warrant was read over to him he said, "Yes, I am very sorry I did so."—Mr. Bros committed the prisoner for trial at the Middlesex Sessions.

LAMBETH.—THE STRUGGLE WITH ARMED BURGLARS.—*Arthur Bourne*, alias *Thomas Morrell*, 31, was charged, on remand, with being concerned with others in burglariously breaking and entering the King's Head Tavern, High-street, Lambeth, and stealing £2 5s in silver and bronze, a reading-glass, and about 600 cigars, the property of James William Biddle, the landlord. He was further charged with shooting at Police-constables Mark Jenkins and Herbert Wright with a revolver with intent to murder them. There was a further charge of burglary against him at the Fleece Tavern, Westminster.—Mr. Pollard prosecuted for the Treasury; and Chief-inspector Chisholm was present on behalf of the police authorities.—After additional evidence, it was proved that the revolver which the prisoner had used against the constables who arrested him was the one stolen from the Fleece Tavern.—Warder Ward, of Wandsworth Prison, said he knew the prisoner well. In 1879 he was convicted of burglary, and sentenced to seven years penal servitude. He was admitted to a ticket-of-leave, but failing to report himself had to finish his term. There were several previous convictions against the prisoner, including terms of three and eighteen months for felony.—Mr. Pollard asked that the prisoner might be committed upon the charge of attempted murder as well as the two charges of burglary.—Mr. Biron fully committed the prisoner to take his trial at the next sessions of the Central Criminal Court upon the charges mentioned. Before the close of the court Mr. Biron signed the charge-sheet in this case as follows: "These constables deserve commendation for their great courage, coolness, and forbearance."

HAMMERSMITH.—THE BOY IN BUTTONS.—*John Isaacs*, of Shepherd's-bush-road, was summoned at the instance of the Board of Inland Revenue for employing a male servant without a licence.—An officer of Excise said the door was opened to him by the servant, who was in livery. He saw the defendant, who stated that he employed him as a general servant, and was not aware that he was liable for a licence.—It was stated that the defendant had since taken out a licence; but Mr. Haynes, who appeared for him, submitted that he was not liable. He said the lad was employed to do odd jobs, cleaning boots and windows, and therefore he came within the exceptions.—George Harper, the lad, said he did not sleep in the house. When the trap was ordered he was required to put on a livery and sit behind in the "dicky."—Mr. Paget: What is your master?—Witness: A sporting man.—In answer to further questions the witness said he went home after returning with the trap. He had no other employment.—Mr. Paget thought the case did not come within the exceptions, but as a licence had been taken out he only imposed a penalty of 2s, with 2s costs.

OVER THE GARDEN WALL.—A lady asked the magistrate if her husband would get into trouble by killing the neighbour's dog, which came over the wall to worry the cat.—Mr. Paget thought her husband would get into trouble if he had killed the dog.—The applicant said he had not killed it, but he threatened to do so. She wished to know whether there was any remedy.—Mr. Paget: If he meddles with the dog I think it very likely I shall meddle with him. (Laughter.)—Applicant: I suppose there is no remedy for the dog breaking our window?—Mr. Paget: Do you want a summons against the dog for breaking the window? (Laughter.)—Applicant: Against the persons. The dog jumped up against the window to get at the cat.—Mr. Paget said she could bring an action against the owner of the dog for the damage.

THE NEW WIMBLEDON.—Yesterday the Newbury Town Council discussed the claims of the Berkshire site for the New Wimbledon, and it was unanimously resolved to memorialise the directors of the Great Western Railway Company to grant the cheap special fares asked for by the council of the National Rifle Association. The mayor said he understood the Great Western authorities were fully sensible of the importance of the matter. They were in communication with the council of the National Rifle Association, and were anxious to meet their wishes if possible.

THE WANDSWORTH EXPLOSION.—The inquest on the bodies of the three young women killed in the recent explosion at Mr. Catwell's fireworks factory, Wandsworth, was concluded yesterday. The coroner stated that he had received anonymous letters boldly accusing three men by name of having set fire to the place. These men were now called as witnesses, and gave a satisfactory account of their whereabouts on the day of the explosion, their evidence being corroborated by a police inspector. Major Cundill, one of the Government inspectors of explosives, was also called, and the jury, after a deliberation of an hour and a half, returned a verdict of accidental death.

ATTEMPT TO SHOOT A CLERGYMAN.—Late on Monday night an outrage was committed at Abbey Parish Church Manse, Arbroath. The Rev. Andrew Douglas, parish minister, and Mrs. Douglas were sitting in the study when four shots from a revolver were fired through the window. One bullet pierced Mrs. Douglas's skirt, another passed just over her shoulder, and the third, barely missing Mr. Douglas's head, struck the bookcase behind, damaging several volumes. Fortunately no one was injured. No reason is assignable for the outrage.

THE BRITISH ASSOCIATION.

There was a large attendance during the whole of yesterday in the Economic Science and Statistics Section, where several important papers on subjects of vital interest were read and discussed. The first of these had reference to leasehold enfranchisement, and was from the pen of Mr. Chas. Harrison. He submitted it in view of the misconception entertained, he said, by some of the public that this proposal meant neither more nor less than a communistic violation of freedom of contract and a socialistic confiscation of the rights of property in private ownership. He traced the origin and growth of the system of granting leasehold interests in land through successive stages of legal history, the cause and effect of the restraining statutes of Elizabeth, and showed that practically the whole of the land on which the metropolis had been developed was formerly held by the Crown, by bodies ecclesiastic and corporate, or by a few of the great historical families, and it was all but impossible for any private person to acquire a freehold interest in land either in London or its immediate vicinity prior to the nineteenth century. He argued that as the land was in the hands of these monopolists, who could and did dictate such terms as they thought fit, the population as it increased was bound to submit to them, and that there could not have been any freedom of contract between contracting parties. Therefore, as there had not been any freedom of contract in the development of the leasehold system, there could not be any communistic violation of freedom of contract in abolishing it. He also dealt with the pernicious effect of private bill legislation on property in London. This he regarded as one of the main factors in the growth of the present short leasehold system in and around the metropolis. He admitted that full compensation should be paid to the ground landlord for the reversion dependent on the expiration of the lease. He strongly denounced the evils and hardships of the London leasehold system, and advocated the freehold system, as being the most perfect of all known systems of land tenure, or in the alternative the fee-farm or rent-charge system, such as is now, and has been for centuries past, customary in Bath and Bristol.—In the discussion which followed Mr. T. H. Elliott condemned the leasehold system as inimical to the form of thrift cultivated by building societies.—Mr. Cochran, M.P., also thought that the leasehold system restricted the development of thrift amongst the working classes, and that the most conservative proceeding in any country would be to widen property-owning as much as could legitimately be done.—Mr. Geddes (Southport) alleged that the way the leasehold system had been worked in his town had practically amounted to confiscation of the people's savings by the imposition of burdensome and vexatious contracts.—Mr. Harris believed that the spread of Socialistic ideas amongst working men could best be counteracted by fair legislation to put the holding of property on a sounder basis.—Mr. James Rowlands, M.P., adduced many instances from various parts of the country of injury done to the working classes by the leasehold system.—Dr. A. Shaw, from the United States, said that the leasehold system was largely spreading there, and was doing mischief. He, therefore, advocated legislation to repress it.

Miss Helen Blackburn contributed a paper on Irishwomen's Industries. The three urgent needs of Ireland, to enable its domestic industries to flourish, were, she said, technical teaching, organised means of distribution, and arrangements for the rapid transit of perishable produce.—In the discussion on this subject several ladies participated, and there seemed at one period some danger of a serious dispute concerning the virtues and defects of the Irish people.

The sections of Mathematical and Physical Science and Mechanical Science held a joint meeting to discuss the subject of lightning conductors. This was attended by all the engineers and students of applied science now in the city, and proved of great practical interest. It appeared that some doubts have recently been raised by Professor Oliver Lodge respecting the existing methods of protecting our buildings from lightning.—Mr. W. H. Preece, the President of the Mechanical Science Section, undertook to defend the existing system, and supported his views by quotations from the lately published report of a conference on lightning rods by many well-known scientific men, who declared that there was no authenticated case on record of a properly constructed lightning conductor failing to do its duty.

In the Biological Section Mr. E. J. Lowe furnished a paper on the "Effects of the Weather of 1888 on the Animal and Vegetable Kingdoms." He specially brought under notice the extraordinary mortality amongst birds early in the year, and the consequent increase of slugs and insect pests, to the great detriment of our gardens and fields.

In the evening a soirée was held in the Assembly Rooms.

THE REGISTRATIONS.

Yesterday Mr. O. J. Williamson, the barrister revising the Electoral and County Council lists in the City, said that List "G," compiled under a mistake, and consisting of persons living beyond the seven miles radius, but within fifteen miles, would be incorporated with the third division of voters. That division consisted of women paying rates, peers, and others not entitled to the Parliamentary franchise, but entitled to vote as county electors. At Westminster the case of Mr. Illingworth, M.P., who claimed for his residence at Queen Anne's-mansions, again was discussed. It was said that Mr. Illingworth was a joint tenant with his father-in-law, Mr. Holden, M.P., and paid the rent by cheque alternately with Mr. Holden. The revising barrister said the claim must fail, but Mr. Illingworth could claim next year as a lodger.

Mr. Shadwell opened his court yesterday at the Marylebone Court-house, for the revision of the lists for the borough of Marylebone. In the case of a claim signed John Hulbert by his mark, witnessed by "Black," John Hulbert, a policeman and a good writer, swore he had never seen the claim. This was represented to be a serious matter, and by no means the only case of the sort. Black was stated to be the canvasser of the National League, and the revising barrister said the man must be produced to answer for his conduct.

The revision was continued at Tower Hamlets and Southwark.

SHIPPING INTELLIGENCE.

(FROM LLOYD'S, SEPT. 11, 1888.)

MAIL AND STEAMSHIP NEWS.

ADEN, Sept. 10.—The Pekin, from Calcutta, Madras, and Galle, left for London.

ALEXANDRIA, Sept. 10.—The Irrawaddy, with the French mails from Japan, China, Batavia, Singapore, Colombo, &c., left for Marseilles.

AUCKLAND, Sept. 10.—The Zealandia left with the homeward Australian and New Zealand mails.

BARBADOS, Sept. 10.—The Atlantis left for London.

BOSTON, Sept. 10.—The Maharajah, from Calcutta Bay, arrived. Sept. 11.—The Palestine, from Liverpool, arrived.

BROW HEAD, Sept. 11.—The Samaria, from Boston, passed.

COLOMBO, Sept. 10.—The Hohenstaufen, from Bremen and Antwerp for Sydney, arrived.

DEAL, Sept. 11.—The City of Agra, from Calcutta for London, passed through the Downs.

DOVER, Sept. 11.—The France, from New York, passed.

DUNGENESS, Sept. 11.—The Burgemeester den Tex, from Batavia for Amsterdam, and the Olympia, from Kurrachee for Antwerp, passed.

GIBRALTAR, Sept. 11.—The Thalia, from Chittagong, passed. The Thames, from Bombay for London, arrived.

GLASGOW, Sept. 10.—The Prussian left for Philadelphia.

GRAVESEND, Sept. 11.—The City of Agra, from Calcutta for Albert Dock, and the Ormuz, from Sydney for Tilbury Dock, passed.

HAMBURG, Sept. 10.—The Union Steamship Company's steamer Roman, from Southampton, arrived.

HULL, Sept. 9.—The Glengarry left for New York.

LIVERPOOL, Sept. 10.—The City of Chester, from New York, arrived in the Mersey.

MADRAS, Sept. 10.—The Clan Macpherson, from Calcutta, left for London.

MALIN HEAD, Sept. 11.—The Alcides, from Quebec, passed.

MALTA, Sept. 11.—The Bravalla, from Kurrachee for Antwerp; the Iran, from Bombay for Liverpool; the Clan Cameron, from Madras for London; and the Masora, from Calcutta, arrived. The Telamon, from Liverpool for Penang, passed.

MONTE VIDEO, Sept. 9.—The Sir Garnet Wolseley left for St. Lucia. Sept. 10.—The St. Asaph left for New Orleans.

NEW YORK, Sept. 6.—The Furnessia, for Glasgow, and the Assyria, for Avonmouth, left. Sept. 11.—The La Normandie, from Havre; the Eider, from Bremen; and the Ethiopia, from Glasgow, arrived. The Glenshiel left for China and Japan.

PERIM, Sept. 10.—The Pelican, from Calcutta for London, and the Jumna, from London for Brisbane, passed.

PLYMOUTH, Sept. 11.—The Hazara, from Bombay for London, arrived off. The Union Steamship Company's steamer Trojan, with homeward Cape of Good Hope and Natal mails, arrived at ten a.m. Her dates are: Cape Town, Aug. 22; St. Helena, 27; Ascension, 29; and Madeira, Sept. 7.

PRAWLE POINT, Sept. 11.—The Chester, from Philadelphia for Rotterdam; the Memphis, from Guatemala for London; and the Frisia, from Singapore for London, passed.

QUEBEC (by cable).—The Bravalla arrived here. The Montreal, from Liverpool, passed Heath Point Lighthouse (Anticosti).

QUEENSTOWN, Sept. 11.—The Samaria, from Boston, left for Liverpool.

SAUGOR, Sept. 11.—The Pathan, from the Clyde for Hong Kong, and the Nepaul, from London for Shanghai, passed.

ST. CATHERINE'S POINT, Sept. 11.—The Glenfruin, from Manila for London, passed.

[illegible], Sept. 8.—The Haverton, from Galle for Calcutta, passed.

SUEZ CANAL, Sept. 10.—The [illegible], from Manila, left Port Said for Liverpool. Sept. 11.—The Glenfinlas, from London for Shanghai, arrived at Port Said. The Anjer Head, from Sourabaya for Marseilles; the Conrad, from Batavia for Amsterdam; and the City of Bombay, from Calcutta for London, arrived at Suez. The Merionethshire, from Japan, China, and the Straits for London, left Port Said. The Teiresias, from the Clyde for Hong Kong, and the Regal, from Liverpool for Yokohama, arrived at Port Said. The Port Victor, from Singapore for Marseilles and London, and the Navigator, from Calcutta, arrived at Suez. The Glaucus, from Hankow, left Port Said for [illegible].

SYDNEY (C.B.), Sept. 10.—The Capulet left for Liverpool.

LATEST TELEGRAMS.

ADEN, Sept. 11.—The Duke of Sutherland, from Brisbane for London, and the Isla de Mindanao, from Singapore for Spain and Liverpool, arrived. The Duke of Sutherland, from Brisbane, left.

BOSTON, Sept. 11.—The Milanese, from London, arrived.

BROW HEAD, Sept. 11.—The Caspian, from Baltimore, passed.

BRINDISI, Sept. 11.—The Arcadia, from Sydney, with the India, China, and Australian mail, left for London.

GIBRALTAR, Sept. 11.—The Thames, from Bombay, left for Plymouth and London.

GRAVESEND, Sept. 11.—The France, from New York for Royal Albert Dock, passed.

HURST CASTLE, Sept. 11.—The Union Steamship Company's steamer Trojan, from the Cape of Good Hope for Southampton via Plymouth, passed 7.25 p.m.

LIVERPOOL, Sept. 11.—The Gallia, for New York; the Rubens, for Rosario; and the Traveller, for Calcutta, left the Mersey.

MALIN HEAD, Sept. 11.—The Circassia, from New York for the Clyde, passed.

MOVILLE, Sept. 11.—The Circassia, from New York, arrived.

NEW YORK, Sept. 11.—The Wyoming, from Liverpool, arrived. The Alaska left for Liverpool.

PLYMOUTH, Sept. 11.—The Hazara, from Bombay, left for Antwerp.

PORTO RICO, Sept. 8.—The Cadiz, from Liverpool, arrived.

PRAWLE POINT, Sept. 11.—The Hazara, from Bombay and Plymouth for London, passed.

SOUTHAMPTON, Sept. 11.—The Noord Holland left for Java.

SUEZ CANAL, Sept. 11.—The Clan Buchanan, from the Clyde for Calcutta, and the Navarino, from London, left Suez.

The following are the movements of the Union Steamship Company's steamers between Cape Town and Natal: The [illegible] left Cape Town, 16th ult., arrived at Mossel Bay, 17th; Algoa Bay, 18th; East London, 19th, and Natal, Aug. [illegible]. The [illegible] left Natal, 16th ult., arrived at East London, 17th; Algoa Bay, 18th; Mossel Bay, 19th, and Cape Town, Aug. 20. The [illegible] left Knysna 18th ult., arrived Mossel Bay, 19th, Cape Town, 20th, and left Cape Town, Aug. 21. The Nubian left Cape Town, 17th ult., arrived Algoa Bay, 19th, and left Algoa Bay, Aug. 21.

The Union Company's Royal Mail steamer Trojan, which arrived at Plymouth yesterday, brought six letter bags from her Majesty's ships Bacchante, Curacoa, Goshawk, and Acorn.

THE IRISH EXHIBITION.—Last night a largely-attended delegate meeting of the Phœnix Order was held in the Council Room of the Irish Exhibition. The chair was taken by Mr. O'Leary, of "Court Centenary," who said that it was a sign of the times that the working men of London should from labour set a day apart to show the power and strength of the temperance movement and the influence it is beginning to exert over the masses of the people. Mr. Rafferty, managing director of the Exhibition, said the council would do all in its power to facilitate the work of the committee to make the demonstration of the 24th a success. It was arranged that a mass meeting shall be held in the grounds of the Exhibition, and several prominent public men were named as speakers. The various contingents will meet in Hyde Park, near Knightsbridge Barracks, at one o'clock on the 24th, and from there march in processional order, with bands, banners, and regalia, to Olympia.

MEDICAL ELECTRICITY.—Harness' Electropathic Belt and Treatment. Sufferers from nervous exhaustion, brain fag, sleeplessness, rheumatic affections, liver and kidney diseases, internal ailments, &c., should write for pamphlet and copies of testimonials (post free). Consultation free, personally or by letter.—Address Mr. C. B. Harness, Consulting Medical Electrician, 52, Oxford-street, London, W. (corner of Rathbone-place).—(ADVERTISEMENT.)

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MISS ALICE WHITACRE will SING, THIS EVENING [illegible] at FREEMAN THOMAS' PROMENADE CONCERTS. Admission 1s.

MR. SIMS REEVES (positively his last appearance [illegible]) THIS EVENING [illegible] at FREEMAN THOMAS'S PROMENADE CONCERTS. Admission 1s.

MISS MAUDE WICKHAM (Solo Violinist) (her [illegible]) will PLAY [illegible] at FREEMAN THOMAS'S PROMENADE CONCERTS. Admission 1s.

HERR ARTHUR FRIEDHEIM (Solo Pianist) [illegible] will PLAY THIS EVENING [illegible] at FREEMAN THOMAS'S PROMENADE CONCERTS. Admission 1s.

FREEMAN THOMAS'S PROMENADE CONCERTS, COVENT-GARDEN. The ORCHESTRA and the COLDSTREAM GUARDS will PLAY, THIS EVENING, [illegible] "Ave Maria" (Schubert), Concertstück (Weber) [illegible] Italian Symphony (Mendelssohn) [illegible] overture "William Tell" (Rossini) [illegible] Doors open 7.30, commence at 8.0. Prices of admission: Private boxes from 10s. 6d. to £3 3s.; grand circle seats numbered and reserved, 2s. 6d.; [illegible] amphitheatre stalls, amphitheatre, and promenade, 1s.—Box-office open daily ten to five. [illegible]

MARJORIE WALTZ (second time) (P. Bucalossi) [illegible] will be PERFORMED THIS EVENING, at FREEMAN THOMAS'S PROMENADE CONCERTS, COVENT-GARDEN.

ALLY SLOPER and his distinguished family, including Mrs. Sloper, Master Alexander Sloper, Iky Moses, [illegible] will attend FREEMAN THOMAS'S PROMENADE CONCERTS, THEATRE ROYAL, COVENT-GARDEN, on FRIDAY EVENING NEXT, Sept. 14. TOOTSIE SLOPER'S POLKA, composed by A. Gwyllym Crowe, will be performed by the special desire of The Family.

DRURY-LANE.—Augustus Harris, Lessee and Manager.—Will RE-OPEN on SATURDAY, Sept. [illegible], with a new grand spectacular drama, entitled THE ARMADA, a romance of 1588, by Henry Hamilton and Augustus Harris.

THE ARMADA at DRURY-LANE.—Winifred Emery, Edith Bruce, Kate James, Ada Neilson, and Maud Milton, Leonard Boyne, Luigi Lablache, Edward Gardiner, Victor Stevens, A. [illegible], S. Dawson, Mervyn Dallas, [illegible] Harry Nicholls. Box-office open daily from ten to six.

CAPTAIN SWIFT. TO-NIGHT. "There is some soul of goodness in things evil."—Henry V.

HAYMARKET THEATRE.—Lessee and Manager, Mr. H. Beerbohm Tree. TO-NIGHT, at 8.30 precisely, the new original drama by Mr. Haddon Chambers, entitled CAPTAIN SWIFT. Mr. Tree, Mr. Macklin, Mr. Kemble, Mr. Fuller Mellish, Mr. Allan, Mr. Harwood, Mr. Harrison, and Mr. Brookfield; Lady Monckton, Miss Rose Leclercq, Miss Cudmore, and Mrs. Tree. Preceded, at 7.50, by THAT DREADFUL DOCTOR. Doors open at 7.40.—Box-office open daily from ten till five. No fees.

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Yesterday was celebrated at Turin, with great pomp, the marriage of the Duke of Aosta with his niece, Princess Lætitia.

It is reported from Pietermaritzburg that Dinizulu has given himself up to the Transvaal Boers on condition that he is not surrendered to the British authorities.

Serious floods are announced from the Tyrol and Switzerland. The town of St. Moritz is submerged.

By the recent earthquake in Greece damage has been done to the amount of two millions of drachmas.

Leasehold enfranchisement, particularly as affecting the metropolis, and the efficacy or otherwise of lightning-conductors, were the principal topics discussed at the British Association yesterday.

Mr. Crilly, M.P., presided over yesterday's meeting of the Irish National League in Dublin, and stated that Mr. Parnell was playing a waiting game in order to show the English people that the Irish race possessed the qualities of doggedness, patience, and quietness. It was hard to submit to the injustices perpetrated by the Government, but the national leaders knew that if necessary Irishmen of the present day would act as fiercely and courageously as their forefathers did in '98.

Yesterday the annual Festival of the Three Choirs was opened at Hereford.

Mr. Samuel Montagu, M.P., has offered a reward of £100 for the discovery of the murderer of Annie Chapman in Whitechapel, and his proposal has been submitted to the authorities for their sanction. Pigott and Piser, the men who were arrested on Monday, are still detained in custody. The former, who is suspected of feigning insanity, is kept under close surveillance. It is stated that yesterday a witness picked out Piser from among a score of other prisoners as one of two men whom he observed quarrelling with a woman in Hanbury-street early on the morning of the murder. The police do not place confidence in this statement. Discovery was made yesterday of a trail of blood in the back garden of a house two doors from the scene of the crime, and other signs indicating that the murderer retreated in that direction.

About noon yesterday a human arm, which on examination proved to be that of a well-developed young woman, was discovered in the Thames, near Grosvenor Railway Bridge. The unskilful manner in which the arm has been severed from the trunk suggests foul play.

The body of the woman found on the pavement in Blackfriars-road on Saturday night proves to be that of Mrs. Bryne, widow of the late Sergeant-Major Bryne, of Canterbury. She left that city on Saturday, and was to have returned on Sunday night. Her continued absence caused much uneasiness, and the consequent inquiries led to the establishment of her identity. An inquest will be held to-day.

Arthur Bourne, the burglar who lately broke into a public-house in Lambeth, and stole money, valuables, and about 600 cigars, was yesterday further charged at the police-court with shooting, with intent to murder, the two policemen who captured him, and also with committing another burglary in a tavern at Westminster. Mr. Biron committed him to take his trial on all the charges, and entered upon the charge-sheet a commendation of the constables "for their great coolness, courage, and forbearance."

A large general business was done yesterday in the Stock Exchange, in spite of the higher continuation charges at the settlement. Consols rose 1-16, and an improvement occurred in English and American Railways. Canadian lines, however, gave way, together with Mexican (Vera Cruz). Several of the Foreign Government Bonds advanced. Copper shares were steady, and diamond mines firm. On balance £27,000 in gold was sent into the Bank.

IN the presence of appalling crimes the discovery of the perpetrator of which is from the circumstances of such difficulty as to baffle for a considerable period, if it does not wholly defy, the most diligent researches of the emissaries of justice, it is but natural, and, indeed, is almost inevitable, that murmurs of complaint should arise from the public at what is thought, in the pardonable impulse of the moment, to be lukewarmness, dulness of intelligence, and general inefficiency on the part of the police. London is at the present moment deeply moved with horror and anger by the occurrence of four dreadful murders, to which may perhaps have to be added a fifth deed of blood-guiltiness in the case of the woman who was found lying dead upon the pavement in Blackfriars-road on Saturday last; while the discovery of a woman's arm in the Thames, at Pimlico, under conditions which have been thought to point to still another foul crime, comes at a time to aggravate the prevailing emotion. The atrocious criminal or criminals who have committed these ghastly outrages yet remain undetected, and the few arrests that have been made of suspected persons are not entitled to be accepted as more than captures of a haphazard and tentative character, based on the loosest of information, and in more than one instance on no information at all beyond the suggestions of idle rumour, and the theories of vulgar panic. Procrastination on the part of her Majesty's Government in offering a commensurate reward for the arrest of the murderer or murderers, and the manifest perplexity of the local police authorities as to how they shall find a clue to the crime, and how they shall best follow it up, have entailed the usual consequence of widespread and undiscriminating censure being cast on the constabulary for their incapacity to cope with such crimes in general, and in particular to solve the dark problem by which they are at present confronted. Yet, most unhesitatingly do we pronounce it to be both unjust and absurd to reprobate the Metropolitan Police as a body for their inability to prevent the commission of such deeds of blood as those which have stained the recent history of the East-end. This Metropolis has attained such vast magnitude, and a municipal policy of stupidity, carelessness, and "laissez-faire" has tolerated the continuance of so many labyrinths of foul and noisome slums in which the necessitous and the dangerous classes naturally congregate, that, were the numerical strength of the Metropolitan Police double its present aggregate, the constables on night duty would scarcely be able to explore as vigilantly as the public safety requires every lane and court and dark entry, every nook and corner and blind alley, grimy networks of which abound in Central and Eastern London, and in the oldest of the transpontine districts. We honestly believe that the patrolling officers do all that they possibly can to prevent as well as to detect crime; the constables diligently perambulate their beats; and the sergeants and inspectors exercise due vigilance and punctuality in visiting the men whom they supervise; but this elaborate machinery is to a great extent paralysed by the predominance of our two national vices, carelessness and hypocrisy. If we had a good Common Lodging-house Act, properly worked, the name and description of every inmate, even to the most casual one, of such tenements would be scrupulously registered and diurnally transmitted to the police. As it is, justice has to trust to the memory of the "deputy" for an account of the chance denizens of these resorts, which recent revelations have shown can without much difficulty be used for the lowest purposes; while, again, the deplorable public hypocrisy which professes to ignore the existence of prostitution, and refuses to license, to register, and to subject to wholesome regulations the hapless victims of profligacy, throws upon the crowded streets, more especially in maritime London, a legion of miserable women without homes, and it may almost be said without names, wholly unnoticed and uncared-for by authority till their corpses turn up horribly hacked and mutilated in canals or in back-yards.

While, however, we thoroughly exonerate the police from the charges of wilful negligence or of absolute incapacity which are often so thoughtlessly brought against them, and while we fully recognise the magnitude of the difficulties with which, owing to the weakness and the uncertainty of the municipal laws, they have to contend, we do not shut our eyes to the disgraceful incompetence, the want of perspicacity, the self-sufficient contempt of public opinion, and the actual blockheadism which prevail in the Detective Department of Scotland-yard. It is not our wish to mention any names in connection with police administration or to institute any invidious comparisons between past and present officials. We point mainly to the patent and unfortunate fact that intelligence and keenness of insight, courage of initiation, and fertility of resource, are almost wholly wanting in the Criminal Investigation Department, and that, although there may be an adequate contingent of active and astute detectives, the department lacks a head, and will never become thoroughly efficient until it is placed under the control of a chief with full power and responsibility, and who is not liable to be hampered or snubbed by what may be termed the military section of the force. The present Chief Commissioner is, no doubt, a gentleman of approved courage, of considerable military experience, a capital drill officer, a rigid disciplinarian, in a word an admirable commandant of gendarmerie, always worthy of the public confidence as a director of a splendidly organised municipal force, and one whose readiness, resolution, and coolness have in times of popular commotion already proved him to be an invaluable public servant. Nevertheless, the functions of a head of the "service de sûreté"—that is to say, of the Detective Department—are widely different from those of a Chief Commissioner of Police whose training has been exclusively of a martial order, and whose instincts and idiosyncrasies are essentially military. NAPOLEON I. had two great Ministers of Police—SAVARY and FOUCHÉ. The first was a general of gendarmerie, with a natural turn for dark and tortuous intrigue; the second had been a mathematical professor in a convent of Oratorians and a briefless barrister. Both had in their time to unravel a multiplicity of plots, and employed a countless host of spies and provocative agents; but neither the Duke of ROVIGO nor the Duke of OTRANTO ever presided over the detective section of the Ministry of Police. Criminal investigations were left to the ordinary municipal officers, until in 1809 the famous, or rather infamous, VIDOCQ, a swindler, a forger, a bandit, and an ex-convict of the very worst type, offered his services to the Government as a detective and thief-catcher. Those services were accepted, and VIDOCQ remained in office till 1827, achieving a number of really surprising feats of presence of mind, cunning, and courage in the detection of crime and the capture of criminals. He was undoubtedly the prototype of the JACQUES COLIN, otherwise VAUTRIN, of BALZAC; but he was the first and the last chief of the "police de sûreté" appointed on the principle of "Set a thief to catch a thief." VIDOCQ's successors in France have been uniformly honest and honourable men, chosen from among the wariest of the employés of the police. It would be rash to suggest that the most fitting Director of Criminal Investigations of Scotland-yard might prove an ex-convict, were he ever so lynx-eyed, ever so versatile of intellect, or ever so fertile in expedients. That fierce light of publicity which beats not only on the Throne, but on every public office in England, would inexorably forbid the employment in any responsible position at Scotland-yard of a notorious rascal, convicted or unconvicted. The official whom we really require, and who should be found at whatever outlay of expense or trouble, as a Director of Criminal Investigations, should certainly not be a soldier; he should be a civilian, a gentleman, if not a lawyer at least the possessor of extended legal training, a linguist, widely travelled, a man of the world, courageous, inventive, cool-headed, and indefatigable. We are not demanding an Admirable CRICHTON; we are only asking for such a gentleman as might, without much difficulty, be found if her Majesty's Government would take the trouble to seek for him.

Nor, while referring to the bounden duty of the Government in this matter, can we shrink from the painful but imperatively necessary task of warning Lord SALISBURY that the public are altogether discontented with, and will soon become uncontrollably impatient of, the presence at the Home Office of Mr. MATTHEWS. It must be explained that Sir CHARLES WARREN is only Prefect of Police; the Minister, the FOUCHÉ, the SAVARY, the head police functionary of the kingdom, is Mr. MATTHEWS. The fact can be no longer disguised that the Home Secretary now in office is a source of miserable weakness and discredit to the present Administration. In the House of Commons he has been nothing more nor less than a fantastic failure. In the provinces he is scarcely known even by name; and when the provincials do become aware of him it is only to mistrust him, and to express disrespectful and indignant astonishment that a Government, otherwise so capable and so popular, should drag with it a dead weight of so much vacillation, so much ineptitude, and so many frankly naive confessions of crass ignorance concerning things of which the most common-place Home Secretary ought to be fully cognisant. That Mr. MATTHEWS does not know, that he is not aware, that he does not remember, or that he has not heard of things which to any ordinarily intelligent man should be as manifest as the sun at noonday, have been Session after Session stereotyped replies of the Home Secretary to the simplest questions. Very likely Mr. MATTHEWS is in many respects an excellent gentleman; but it is high time for him to go and excel somewhere else and in some other department than the Home Office. The attributes of the Secretary of State do not, of course, warrant him in crippling the action, either administrative or executive, of the Chief Commissioner of Police; but he should undeniably be the ruling counsellor, the supreme arbiter, the CÆSAR to whom every department of the force should be able to appeal. Sir CHARLES WARREN has the fullest confidence of the public as the resolute and gallant commandant of a highly-trained force of stalwart constables, excellently well officered, and altogether trustworthy and efficient guardians of law and order; but the detection of crime, the discovery of clues, the piecing together of scraps of evidence, the choice of subordinate agents, the hunting down of criminals, constitute a business wholly foreign to the functions of the chief of a quasi-military force. The Detective Department should report to the Chief Commissioner, and work harmoniously in parallel lines with him; and both departments should be under the constant observation of the Ministry of Police, that is to say, the Home Office; but the "service de sûreté" should certainly not be considered as a subordinate section, at the beck and call of the Chief Commissioner, nor placed under the control of an underling, who is forbidden to send a detective to Liverpool or to Paris without the permission of the executive head. We do not undervalue the immense importance of maintaining the very highest standard of discipline in the ranks of the police; and as an organiser, a disciplinarian, and an executive authority Sir CHARLES WARREN has won golden opinions from all sorts of people, except the roughs, the thieves, and the anarchists; but the Detective Department at Scotland-yard has long been in a condition little better than that of chaos. It is in a state of lethargic and helpless muddle; and amelioration is only possible by the thorough reorganisation of the department and the appointment of a keen, cool, experienced, ready-witted man of the world as Chief of the Detective Force.

IT would not be surprising if the Royal quarrel in Servia ended in the withdrawal of King MILAN's suit for divorce, and the "breaking out of a compromise" that will put an end to the scandal. GEORGE IV. had a much stronger case against Queen CAROLINE, who, to say the least, had been coarse and indiscreet, while there was strong circumstantial evidence of her actual guilt. While the case was pending a London mob stopped the Duke of WELLINGTON and insisted on his crying "Long live the Queen!" He did so, with a smile, adding, "and may all your wives be like her!" Taken aback by this retort, the crowd, after a moment of silence laughed heartily at their own defeat. The fact was that nobody then believed in the innocence of the Queen, while everybody agreed that the King, notoriously an evil-liver, did not himself come into court with clean hands. In Servia a feeling of the same kind is evidently rising. It is admitted that the Queen, a vain, pretty, and hot-tempered woman, meddled too much in politics and had too sharp a tongue; but King MILAN does not certainly fulfil anybody's ideal of a hero and a monarch. He has not been a wise or successful Sovereign. He rashly engaged in war with Turkey in 1876, and sent, not led, his soldiers to defeat. Two years ago he wantonly assailed Bulgaria, but at Slivnitza raw recruits, led by a gallant Prince, inflicted on his dispirited and badly-commanded troops a disgraceful defeat. More than once he has contemplated abdication. In private life he has proved himself unworthy of the love of his high-spirited consort. Public opinion in Servia, therefore, condemns his attempt to throw all the blame of the discord on his wife, and to affix the punishment entirely on her shoulders. It is evident also that the proceedings for divorce have begun to embarrass the Royal plans. Queen NATALIE insists on pleading in person before the Consistorial Court. This is a simple right which cannot be denied to the humblest woman in Servia accused of offences justifying separation or divorce; at the same time the King naturally dreads the effect on public opinion of a beautiful and injured woman speaking for herself before a solemn tribunal of grave and reverend signors. The eyes of Europe would be drawn by this scene upon the drama of the day, and it might evoke in favour of the Queen that popular feeling in Servia which more than once has deposed Princes and altered the succession to the Throne. It is probable, therefore, that rather than allow the Queen to enter Belgrade the Royal petition may be withdrawn.

From first to last in these proceedings the German Government has shown itself opposed to the Queen, and ready to place its officials and its police at the service of the King. Some Russian journals have made this line of conduct an occasion for bitter attacks on the authorities at Berlin. These charges have now been answered by the organ of the Berlin Foreign Office. It explains that "a powerful policy must be independent of sentimentality," and it refers to the past conduct of the Queen as a justification for the attitude of the German Government. "So long," says the writer, "as the Queen of SERVIA was in Belgrade she expressed herself constantly, and in the most public manner, as an enemy of Germany. In a question totally at variance with her position and international duties, she made no secret of her hostile feelings towards the German Empire. In consequence the German Press was also induced by the recent events in Wiesbaden to recall the fact that in 1886 Queen NATALIE expressed to the French Marquis DE FLERS her special satisfaction with the shameless insults levelled at personages of high and of the highest rank in the notorious pamphlet entitled 'Société de Berlin.'" Therefore, continues the writer, "the German Empire and its political representatives have no reason to offer kindness, or even support, to the Queen of SERVIA, for in politics it is an old and approved maxim to show equal determination in being the friend of one's friends and the enemy of one's enemies. The imperious bidding of policy necessitates that no difference should be made in this respect, either in sex or rank. The Empress EUGÉNIE was also, in her day, one of the most lovely and amiable of women; but it would have been tantamount to a betrayal of the country if these graces had been suffered to influence the policy of Prussia and the German Empire." The stern dictates of politics, and the indifference of grim statesmen to youth and beauty, even when decked with a crown, were never so plainly indicated, so directly, even roughly avowed. Some Kings and some Chancellors would hardly notice the "heedless chatter" or the "irresponsible frivolity" of politicians in petticoats, and would leave to the ladies-in-waiting and the maids-of-honour of the various Courts a complete monopoly of the gossip of their palaces. Other wise men would simply shrug their shoulders, and say, in the words of the old song, "'Tis a pity when charming women talk of things that they don't understand." But the "rulers of the iron time" that now prevails take notice even of the prattle and peccadilloes of petty Courts. What a light-headed young lady utters to her favourites at Belgrade is "set in a note-book, learned and conned by rote To cast into her teeth," when she falls upon evil days and is set upon by slanderous tongues. Then she is made to pay, as Queen, wife, and mother, for her idle words directed against Germany and Germans—against the Princes and favourites of the Palaces at Potsdam and Berlin. Not that Prince BISMARCK cherishes any special dislike to the Queen, but, through his organs in the press, he sends a note of warning abroad to all whom it may concern that Germany is not a Power that can be trifled with—even by young Queens gossipping in their boudoirs and directing playful shafts of satire against the high and mighty HOHENZOLLERNS. It is not the first time women have felt the bitterness of their own words brought back to them with cruel force. The beautiful Queen LOUISA of Prussia, mother to the late Emperor WILLIAM, had felt and expressed an especial aversion to NAPOLEON I.; after Jena she had to receive the victor and be a suppliant to him for her King and his subjects, and she herself recognised the Nemesis of her own proud words.

History is full of the dangers that attend the interference of Royal wives in their husband's politics. Reigning Queens have been successful enough. ELIZABETH of England, MARIA THERESA, CATHARINE of Russia, and our present QUEEN have shown that they can select wise counsellors and guide the destinies of realms; but the Queen Consorts of history, when they have interfered with the politics of their husbands' Cabinets, have done a great deal of harm. HENRIETTA MARIA exercised an unfortunate influence at the Court of CHARLES I. MARIE ANTOINETTE made her husband additionally unpopular. The last King of NAPLES was married to a high-spirited Bavarian Princess who encouraged his resistance to constitutional demands. In 1870 the Empress EUGÉNIE declared to her intimate friends, "Remember, this is my war"; and it is likely enough that the Emperor, ill, weak, and hardly able to mount a horse, would have deferred the struggle had not his impetuous and spirited consort urged him on. It is sometimes said that the influence of women on the politics of the world would put an end to war; but while they remain non-combatants we greatly doubt it. They are able to realise some of the results of war—the empty chairs, the desolated homes, the widowed lives; but they never see its coarser consequences. They never witness a battle-field after the fight is won—the wounded, the dying, the anguish of untended pain, the fearful spectacle of human life trampled in the mire, and all the grim and disgusting incidents of the shambles of war, from the bloodshed of the day of victory to the spectacle later on of unburied bodies mouldering in the sun. They read novels and poems that throw a halo around it all; they hail as heroes the men who return; they listen to the music of the triumphal entry; they watch the waving plumes and the floating banners and they invest with interest every man in the victorious array. It is in this spirit of unreasoning enthusiasm that beautiful women on thrones send brave men out to slay and to be slain—stinging with their taunts the laggards who hesitate, and rewarding with their smiles the rash Kings who stake their crowns on the issue of a day. Queen NATALIE of Servia is only the last of a long list of illustrious ladies who have burnt their fingers playing with the fires of politics and war.

ONCE more is cultured civilisation brought face to face with a delicate social problem. Again it is a matter of manners, a question of etiquette, of a nice adjustment of proprieties; and, again, of course, the last new departure of certain fair revolutionaries is at the root of the whole question. The course of their successive conquests over rights and prerogatives believed in barbarous times to be the exclusive privilege of the hereditary Lords of Creation—that is, of their own creation—has been slow but sure, and hardly a moon passes over our heads but it becomes an interesting duty to observe and chronicle the latest feminine triumph. The portals of science, literature, art, and medicine have all opened in submissive obedience to the gently imperious knock of the lady student. She sits enthroned at the top of a classical tripos, with all the dignity, and much more sanity, than was ever the lot of the frenzied lady on the Delphic stool. She makes novels and plays, paints pictures, and writes prescriptions; she is on the very verge of possessing a vote; she will no doubt one of these days succeed to senatorial power, and even now the Belgian Court have to decide the highly interesting question as to whether she can legally practise before them, and plead as PORTIA in propria persona without resort to any bewitching disguise as a young doctor learned in the law, to give her status as an expounder of what is enacted in the laws of Venice or elsewhere. When we turn from graver matters to the domain of sport we find the invasion yet more complete. Our modern lady shoots the grouse and the glass ball; she can play a salmon with even more dexterity than her grandmother could play the "Battle of Prague," with soft pedal effects for the "cries of the wounded." She hunts; she can lend a hand, if needs be, at a critical moment on a yacht, or work out a course on a chart with due allowance for variation; and hardy little girls in short frocks trot up to the top of Mont Blanc as serenely as if they were running upstairs to the nursery. Turning to games, we find, after diligent research, that only two are yet exclusively sacred to male humanity—polo and racket to wit—for we have had lady football teams, and cricket teams that have played brilliant havoc with the left-handed Knights of the Broomstick, and the recognised Queens of lawn tennis—who might well be privileged to plagiarise our Prince's motto "Ich Dien"—take rank amongst modern European celebrities. Moreover, they have colleges and clubs, and journals exclusively their own; and on the whole, as we survey the rapidly diminishing domain of man in this year of grace, we have only the games above mentioned, and a few places of some little importance, such as the Archbishopric of Canterbury, the Woolsack, the Treasury Bench, and the Commandership of the Forces, left to us in temporary trust.

Statute law, however, which is rapidly opening up all the freshest of woods and the newest of pastures to the fair sex, by no means runs on "all fours," as lawyers say, with that mysterious collection of dogmas and pot-pourri of prejudices known as "society law." By statute law a duchess may be a doctor if she so pleases, but all the strawberry-leaves in the collective coronets of the Empire would wither up with rustling indignation if her Grace started a surgery with a brass plate on the door, a red lamp, and a night bell, although the aforesaid leaves take no exception to their proud possessor being the owner of a string of popular three-year-olds. Similarly a lady may make bonnets, but would be severely criticised if she ran a 'bus; and, while she is expected to be able to walk upstairs after dinner without any assistance, after a gracious smile to the young gentleman at the open door with the pendent napkin, it is sternly decreed that she is physically unable to walk downstairs before dinner without the aid of a strong right arm. She may eat oysters, or lightly touch the bubbling joy of a glass of champagne, in the presence of men; but before coffee and its attendant minute doses of variegated and multiform liqueurs come on she is expected to beat a dutiful retreat. Rightly so, says the observant sociologist, for with the coffee and cigars, come stories and smoke, and both may be unfitted for feminine nerves. As to the conversation, in these days we hope there is nothing in that, but as to the smoking, up to a few days ago, at all events, it was an unquestioned and unquestionable matter, and it is the startling new rules and regulations concerning this habit that reach us from Paris that form the basis of the new problem, "Ought women to smoke?"

Time was when men never smoked in the streets, never dreamt of "lighting up" in the presence of a lady, save possibly in the company of the nearest and dearest, in the very closest intimacy of a home circle, and then only with profuse and profound, and, indeed, abject requests for permission. Indulgence in the cigar or the pipe was, in fact, a sort of State secret. The smoking-room and the livery of the smoking jacket were permitted mysteries. The spirit of the "Counterblast" of that philosophical, if somewhat priggish, potentate King JAMES filled and controlled society; and, while it was admitted there might be some wisdom, it was loudly cried that there was much wickedness in the "weed." Men were secretive and apologetic about its habitual use, and the ladies stood afar off from it. Then came the period of the cigarette—that easy, indolent, comparatively unimportant, and seemingly innocent method of snatching a fragrant whiff without ceremony or preliminary protocols. At first ladies connived, accepted, pardoned, and recognised the fashion, and then, with quick wit, discovering that it was but one more of the exclusive pleasures of man, some among them determined—in some countries, at all events—to capture yet another citadel, and smoke themselves. There must be some charm in it they presumed. They meditated over such words as are set down to the old German oculist in the novel of "Poor Miss Finch," who somewhat unchivalrously said, "Gott made man, and then He made womans, and when He had made womans He was sorry for dat poor mans and He made tobacco to comfort him!" Of course the doctor was a metaphysician and a bachelor—two unpardonable things in feminine eyes—still, his words had weight; and did not Sir AMYAS LEIGH, in "Westward Ho!" also say to "SALVATION YEO" that, when "all things were made, there was no thing made like unto this thing," and that, for various reasons, there was "no herb like unto it under the canopy of heaven"; and have not poets sung of this same herb, and do not the majority of literary souls smoke, and is it not full of soothing and comfort? So it has come to pass that some ladies do occasionally smoke—there is no doubt about it—they follow in the footsteps of the swarthy Hottentot beauty who sticks her gifts of cigars behind her ears, and of the aged Irish crones who at fair, or wake, or pattern are comforted in a corner with a "draw o' the pipe." The "fumeuse" exists, and she has now drawn up a wondrous set of rules for her own and her sister smokers' guidance. Where to smoke, when to smoke, and minute directions as to how to smoke, including the "graceful carrying of the cigarette to the mouth," the beauteous "blowing of gentle wreaths of etherealised essence" through delicately-chiselled coral nostrils, the judicious use of ash-trays, the drill of inhaling and emitting, the seclusion of the boudoir, the added piquancy and interest that a "fumeuse," like a "siffleuse," is supposed to acquire in the eyes of men, have been all dilated on and elaborately reduced to rule by a French lady writer. Now, there is, perhaps, really nothing in that other vaguely elastic set of rules known as the "nature of things," why women should not smoke if they actually like it, and if the process makes them happy. In Russia, for instance, smoking is as much an accepted part of a fashionable lady's education as is the "nice conduct" of her fan. But we hardly think the fashion, trick, habit, indulgence, or whatever it pleases the ladies to call it, ought to find its way over our silver streak. No sophistry can make the practice a refined one; it cannot be reasonably urged that it is salutary or necessary to any lady, unless, indeed, she elects to pose as a VENUS with a sort of chronic æsthetic asthma, and puffs by the doctor's orders. The army of this new invasion of one of our last and most cherished masculine delights will not, we make bold to say, be largely recruited from the ranks of British maids and matrons. From a class point of view the practice is "fast," from an hygienic standpoint not particularly good, and from a artistic attitude singularly discordant. It will be a bad day for courtship when CHLOE or PHYLLIS replies to CORYDON'S modest request "Do you mind my smoking?" with a brusque and bluff "Not at all, CORRIE. On the contrary, I'll join you! Try one of mine." It was the privilege of JOVE, not of JUNO, to be the "Cloud-compeller," and our modern goddesses may well be content with the offering, not the production of incense. There is much poetry in perfume, and surely it needs no ARISTOPHANES with a new version of "The Clouds" to remind meditating maidens that they would be wise to note that there is more spirituality in Ylang-Ylang than in Yenidji, and that even the potent scents of Patchouli or Chypre are more attractive than the lingering odours of that last new feminine vanity, the boudoir cigarette.

NEWS FROM VIENNA.

VISIT OF THE PRINCE OF WALES.

[TELEGRAM FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.]

VIENNA, Sept. 11.

After dining at the Palace last night, the Prince of Wales, accompanied by Crown-Prince Rudolf, visited the Jubilee Exhibition in the Prater, and then attended the distribution of prizes presented to the riflemen who have taken part in the recent competition for the target shooting championships. The Prince of Wales congratulated several of the Austrian highland marksmen, and expressed the pleasure it afforded him at being able to witness a rifle-meeting in Austria.

This morning his Royal Highness called on Archduke Carl Ludwig—the Emperor's brother—and on the Minister of War. At half-past twelve Sir Augustus Paget had the honour of lunching with the Prince.

At two o'clock his Royal Highness drove in an open court-carriage to the races, wearing the undress uniform of the Austrian Hussars.

At half-past five the Prince dined with the Emperor, the dinner being given in honour of the Czar, whose name-day it was.

This evening the Prince of Wales and his suite, accompanied by General Keith Fraser, left for the Army-manœuvres at Belovar. The Prince and his party travelled in the carriage built for his Royal Highness, which can be used on all Continental railroads save those of Russia.

It is impossible not to see in the marked attention of which the Prince of Wales has been the object during his brief stay in Vienna substantial symptoms of the close and cordial relations existing at present between England and Austria. The Prince came here to thank the Emperor Francis Joseph for his appointment to the honorary colonelcy of an Austrian cavalry regiment, and his visit is devoid of a political character; but that is the case only in so far as the movements of Royalty can be considered distinct from politics. At all events it is eminently satisfactory for Englishmen that the Prince of Wales should meet with such a truly warm welcome at the hands of the Emperor of Austria.

Various facts within my knowledge enable me to state with every confidence that the approaching journey of his German Majesty to this country has no more political importance than had the annual visits he used to pay the Austrian Imperial family when he was Crown-Prince. He is coming here for a few days' chamois-shooting, and not to modify or improve upon any existing diplomatic arrangements between the two empires. He is expected about the 4th of next month, and will be the Emperor Francis Joseph's guest at Schönbrunn, prior to proceeding to Murzsteg in the Semmering.

Chamois-shooting is sport in good earnest, and, excepting capercailzie-stalking, it is the only kind of shooting which the Emperor of Austria cares for. The Emperor William also prefers it to stag-shooting. The latter species of game abounds in the woods of Austria, and is even less difficult to shoot than roe-deer; but chamois is only found in the mountainous districts above the line of vegetation, and it requires a good marksman to bring him down as he bounds along from rock to rock. The Emperor of Austria shoots with the old-fashioned muzzle-loading gun, of which, on such occasions, his attendants always have four or five in readiness for him.

Princes Abbas Bey and Mehemed Bey, the sons of the Khedive of Egypt, have returned to Vienna from their holiday tour in Russia, and purpose to resume their studies here during the Winter.

Horse-racing in Austria is gradually developing into a "National sport," and each successive season attracts a larger number of spectators than the last, whilst betting, which only a few years ago was confined to the Nobility and professional sportsmen, has of late been indulged in with a considerable amount of recklessness by the humbler classes. The Races at present being held on the Freudenau-course, near Vienna, are probably the best on Austrian "record," and neither bookmakers nor professional betting men have cause for complaint, the public being but too eager to risk their stakes.

ROYAL MARRIAGE AT TURIN.

[REUTER'S TELEGRAM.]

TURIN, Sept. 11.

To-day the marriage of the Duke of Aosta and the Princess Lætitia was celebrated here with great pomp.

The civil ceremony took place in the grand hall of the Royal Palace, in the presence of the Princes of the houses of Savoy, Braganza, and Bonaparte, the Generals Menabrea and Della Rocca, Senior Knight of the Order of the Santissima Annunziata, Signor Crispi, Signor Farini, President of the Senate, the Crown Notary, and the high dignitaries of the Court and State.

At its conclusion the Royal party proceeded to the chapel of the Palace, where the religious service was performed, Cardinal Alimonda, the Bishop of Turin, delivering the address to the newly-wedded pair.

After the ceremony the Duke and Duchess of Aosta proceeded to their Palace followed by an escort of 600 gentlemen on horseback, dressed in the costume of the time of Victor Amadeo II. The procession, which presented a most brilliant spectacle, passed through the principal streets of Turin, which were lined with thousands of people who cheered vociferously, and at the square of Victor Emmanuel, where a halt was made, the King and Queen and the newly-wedded pair received an enthusiastic popular ovation.

The Court.

BALMORAL, Sept. 11.

Yesterday morning the Queen went out, attended by Lady Churchill.

Prince Albert Victor of Wales, attended by Major Miles, arrived at the Castle.

In the afternoon her Majesty drove, accompanied by Princess Alice of Hesse, and attended by the Hon. Harriet Phipps.

Princess Beatrice and Prince Albert Victor also drove out.

TO-DAY'S ARRANGEMENTS.

Hereford Musical Festival (second day).
British Association, Bath.
National Chrysanthemum Society's Show, Aquarium (and following day).
Doncaster Races, St Leger Day.
Lawn Tennis.—Essex Open Tournament, at Chingford (third day).
Cricket.—Australians v. Shaw and Shrewsbury's Australian Team, at Leeds (third day); Gentlemen of Surrey v. the Parsees, at the Oval (first day).
Cycling.—Brighton Athletic Club, One Mile Race for Challenge Vase, at Preston Park.
Rowing.—Metropolitan Annual Regatta; Gravesend Regatta; Hastings Regatta.

His Royal Highness the Duke of Cambridge left London yesterday for Scotland to pay a series of visits, and will return to town about three weeks hence.

The Duke of Argyll and party, including the Hon. and Rev. Edward and Lady Mary Carr Glyn, and Lady Constance Campbell, who have been cruising in his Grace's yacht among the Hebrides, arrived at Inverary Castle on Saturday last, having come direct from Oban.

The Earl of Coventry and Viscount Deerhurst have arrived at Tranby Croft, where a large party has assembled for the Doncaster race meeting from Croome Court, Worcestershire.

Lady Frances Doyne and Miss Doyne have joined the family party assembled at Wentworth House to celebrate the golden wedding of Earl and Countess Fitzwilliam.

The First Lord of the Admiralty and Lady George Hamilton have left Switzerland for Italy, where they intend making a short tour before returning home.

Lieutenant-General Harry W. B. Bell, Royal (late Bombay) Engineers, died on Monday last at his residence in Fopstone-road, South Kensington. He was in his sixty-eighth year.

Telegraphic communication between India and Europe via Egypt was restored yesterday, one of the Bombay-Aden cables of the Eastern Telegraph Company having just been repaired.

LONG VACATION JUDGES.—Mr. Justice Denman will not sit as Long Vacation Judge after this week. Sir James Hannen, who is the judge on the rota for the second part of the Vacation, will not be able to undertake these duties next week, in consequence of having to preside over the preliminary meeting in the Parnell Commission on Monday next, and Mr. Justice Butt will consequently act as Vacation Judge next week and until further notice. Should, however, the formal opening of the Parnell Commission be adjourned for some time, it is understood that Sir James Hannen will then proceed with the transaction of the Vacation business in the ordinary way after next week.

PARIS DAY BY DAY.

[BY SPECIAL WIRE.]

[FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.]

PARIS, Tuesday Night.

Parisians have for some time been complaining that they are not permitted to roam at their own sweet will in all the woods and forests in the environs of this pleasant metropolis. Leagues are the order of the day, and the foundation of the *Ligue du Matin*, to which I drew your attention lately, has been followed by that of the *Ligue des Bois de Paris*, the object of which is to secure free access to some of the national properties which have been leased out for a term of years to wealthy men of sporting proclivities. The argument used by the promoters and supporters of the movement is that as Frenchmen at large are the owners of these woods it is unfair in the extreme to keep them out of their own by the erection of fences; to expose innocent trespassers to the abuse of irritable *gardes*; and, in short, to render things uncomfortable all round for wearied toilers in town in search of a pretty spot in the midst of some secluded grove where they can enjoy their ease for a few hours on a Sunday or a holiday. Of course there are many pleasant nooks where excursionists can picnic without fear of molestation; but it is contended that in too many cases vexatious restrictions are imposed on the public, and the *Ligue* especially aims at the removal of the fences which have been put up in the Woods of Clamart, Meudon, Sevres, Chaville, Velzy, and Virofiay. As a matter of fact, during the reigns of Louis Quatorze and other Kings of the old *régime*, as well as in those of their Royal and Imperial successors, people were allowed access to the forests except on the days when a grand *Chasse* was to come off. This was a wise precaution, as there might have been accidents. Now, however, that the people are the actual owners of the woods they find themselves excluded from many points which they would like to visit. The last state is worse than the first. The real explanation of all this is that these forests are an expensive luxury for the Nation. They are by no means self-supporting. On the contrary, successive Ministers of Agriculture have regarded them as so many "white elephants." They cost much and they bring in little. One fine day it was decided, by way of getting out of the dilemma, that they should be let out in whole or part to any one who might like to rent them. Thus, the tariff *per hectare*—a little over two acres—in the Forest of Saint Germain is forty-three *francs*, the Forest itself bringing in yearly nearly £6,500. The national forests in the Departments of the Oise and the Seine et Oise are let at rentals amounting in all to £30,000. The "Powers that be"—particularly when the present condition of the treasury is considered—cannot afford to despise these sums as so many *quantités négligeables*, and so it comes about that a question has been raised which will probably lead to much discussion and the display of a certain amount of irritation on both sides. The inhabitants of the villages bordering on some of these woods are also joining in the cry, as they declare that all these fences and restrictions are driving away visitors, and thus depriving them of a large slice of their "daily bread." In fine, genial weather like that which we are enjoying to-day, excursionists complain that the area of their peregrinations in glade and grove is too often limited. This is rather a knotty problem for the authorities to solve.

M. Carnot is much pleased with the reception which he met with at Caen yesterday. At the banquet which came off at the Town Hall in the evening, M. Merel, the Mayor, in proposing the health of the President of the Republic and of M. Floquet, said that France, which dreaded political experiments, would never allow herself to be led away by appeals to "Dictatorship," or frightened by attempts at Anarchy—neither hollow programmes nor sonorous phrases would beguile her. M. Carnot, in reply, expressed the pleasure which his visit had given him, and declared that the confidence which the Mayor had displayed would not be belied. "Public liberty is not menaced. If it were threatened you may rest assured that the Government of the Republic would know how to defend it." These words were received with loud cheers and cries of "Vive Carnot!" "Vive la République!" The banquet at the Town Hall was followed by a brilliant reception at the Prefecture. This morning M. Carnot was up betimes. He paid a visit to the hospital, leaving nearly £100 for the poor, and on his way to the station he was cheered by the crowds which had assembled to witness his departure *en route* for Cherbourg. Brief halts were made at Bayeux, Lison, and other stations on the way to Saint-Lô, on arriving at which place M. Carnot drove to the Prefecture and held a reception, which was attended by all the local notabilities. The representatives of the Department of the Manche were introduced by M. Rauline, a Conservative Deputy, who expressed the hope that the President's visit to Cherbourg would have the effect of hastening the construction of the defensive works, on the importance of which so much stress had already been laid. M. Amard, the Mayor, on his side, asked for the effective and energetic protection of Agriculture. The Bishop of Saint-Lô reminded the President that his grand-uncle, Monsignor Dupont Poisat, had for thirty-five years directed the Diocese of Coutances. M. Morel, the President of the Council-General, dwelt, like M. Amard, on the crisis through which Agriculture was passing in that district.

A Boulangist journal prints a telegram of to-day's date from its correspondent at Christiania, stating that the General is there in the strictest *incognito* with one of his daughters. He intends remaining some days in the Norwegian capital, where he is the object of "the most discreet sympathy," as every one respects an *incognito* which can alone secure him repose, but he seems full of life and gaiety. The journal, however, says that it does not dare to guarantee this statement, as so many persons imagine that they have seen the General "in the four corners of Europe." The latest thing in caricatures, by the way, represents "Admiral" Floquet at the top of a mast, searching the horizon with a spyglass for a spot where there is no Boulangism. It is significant that M. Jules Ferry is frequently introduced into these caricatures side by side with M. Carnot and M. Floquet.

"How to be happy though married." Here is a conversation which was overheard on the Boulevards—at least so says a Parisian wit, and he ought to know something about it. "Ah, mon cher! Always young, always gay! Married life suits you admirably." To which the happy man smilingly replies, "Should you like to have the recipe?" "By all means," is the ready answer. "Well, here it is—the wife well out of the way; the children at a boarding-school; the mother-in-law *à tous les diables!* That is conjugal bliss!" Now for another anecdote. A noted lady-killer announces his approaching nuptials. It is the event of the day at his club. His friends and acquaintances cannot believe their ears. "Comment," one of them exclaims at last, "you who have spent your life in disorganising other people's *ménages!*" "Ma foi, tant pis," calmly answers the bridegroom elect. "When I am married I shall not be the one who is always bundled into cupboards!"

An important sale of pictures will take place at Chenonceaux late the property of Madame Pelouze, the sister of M. Daniel Wilson, on Sept. 27. The Chenonceaux collection is famous, and contains many authentic portraits of great personages, among others a portrait of "Catherine de Médicis," by Johannet, the chief painter of the French School of the Renaissance; another portrait of "La Belle Gabrielle," by one of the Johannet or Clouet School; "A Mythological Landscape," by Claude Gelée, *dit* le Lorrain; portraits of the "Grand Monarque," by Mignet and Van der Meulen, and various other paintings by Salvator Rosa, Albert Cuyp, Murillo, Ribera, and Ruysdael. Among the other artistic objects for sale is the "bed of Catherine de Médicis," which a Paris *demi-mondaine* vows that she will have at any price, no matter how high.

Those who still take an interest in the true and tragic history of the "Lovers of Verona," whose lamentable fortunes have been immortalised by Shakespeare, will no doubt be glad to learn some of the very latest particulars respecting the Tomb of Juliet. M. Victorin Joncières, the distinguished composer and musical critic, has just paid a visit to Verona, and he states that the Tomb of Romeo's sweetheart, which is at the bottom of a garden in the old cloister of the Franciscan Convent, is absolutely in ruins. Above it is a kind of niche in a brick wall which is surrounded by bits of broken columns and capitals. The niche is full of visiting cards, and hanging on the wall is a wreath with a card attached to it bearing the name "Madame Talbot Shakespeare," whom M. Joncières put down as a descendant of the Bard of Avon. On a wall to the left is a portrait of "Friar Laurence." Romeo is buried in Mantua, and it is to be hoped that his tomb is in a better state of preservation than that of his lady-love. The attention of the curators of old and famous Italian monuments or of those persons who venerate the romantic and antique ought certainly to be called to the statements of the French composer, who has no doubt accurately described what he saw during his visit to Verona.

Some curious particulars have been lately published respecting two men—Badinguet and Berezowski—whose peculiar exploits were once the theme of much comment in France and Europe. Badinguet was the working-mason who enabled Prince Louis Napoléon to escape from imprisonment by lending him his clothes and his working implements. Opponents and lampooners of the Imperial *régime* accordingly nicknamed the Emperor "Badinguet," and it was under that title, as M. Zola shows in the "Assommoir," that workmen in their clubs and *cafés* always spoke of the Head of the State. It appears that Badinguet came to grief on the Fall of the Empire, and that he is now what is called in the technical language of criminals "doing a long stretch" in the Island of Nou for his misdemeanours. During the Empire he enjoyed a pension from Louis Napoléon, who never forgot those who had helped him in adversity, and this enabled him to set up in business on his own account. After Sedan the mason became poor and committed a burglary, for which he was sent into penal servitude. He wrote to the Empress for help, but never received an answer, his letter having probably been regarded as not authentic. As to the Pole, Berezowski, who fired at the Czar in Paris in 1867, he literally lived on the fat of the land in the penal colony. Large sums of money were sent to him from time to time by Republican Deputies and others, and in 1883 part of his punishment was commuted, at the special request of the present Czar. Berezowski frequently bemoaned his fate, and gave the names of many persons who, according to his own showing, had instigated him to attempt the crime of "Regicide."

Some of the newspapers are still denouncing the action of Pastor Arboux, who is accused of having been too fanatically *farouche* during his final ministrations with Schumacher, the man who was "guillotined" yesterday morning. M. Arboux, just as the felon's head was about to be placed in the fatal *lunette* of the *guillotine*, seized Schumacher and embraced him twice on the cheeks. Some of the bystanders, who considered the Pastor's movements calculated to prolong the agony of the dying man, cried out, "Enough of that!" And there are not even wanting recriminations on the part of fierce Anti-Clericals, who, despite their hatred of the principal religion of the State, aver that no Catholic priest would have behaved so officiously and fanatically indiscreet as did the Protestant clergyman who accompanied Schumacher to the block. To do the Pastor justice, however, it must be stated that the culprit had asked the chaplain to embrace him "at the last moment just as his soul was about to leave his body." M. Georges Grison, an able and accurate chronicler of executions, avers that far from prolonging the torture of the dying man, the action of the Pastor had a beneficent effect. Schumacher's eyes glistened with joy, says this witness, when he was once more, as it were, brought back from the brink of Eternity, and made to feel that he was still alive. Pastor Arboux's critics say that he gave a false hope to the dying man, who must have thought when he was suddenly seized and effusively embraced that the death-penalty had been commuted. This contention cannot, however, be entertained if it be true—and we have the clergyman's word for it—that Schumacher had asked M. Arboux to accord him the supreme consolation which has given rise to so much unfavourable comment. Nevertheless M. Arboux admits that he had perhaps deferred the performance of his promise to Schumacher too long, but then he had had no previous experience in attending prisoners who were about to be "guillotined." Moreover, he had fully expected that Schumacher would be reprieved, and he was quite overwhelmed when he received the news that the execution was to take place. M. Arboux states that the felon was a good Protestant and was able to remember many of the prayers which he had been taught when a boy. He therefore died like a Christian. As to his having prolonged the torture of the condemned man, the Pastor says that the death-agony begins for a doomed felon when he is aroused from his sleep by the Governor of the Prison and told that his hour is at hand. Three or four seconds added to the period of agony could not, according to M. Arboux, be objected to by anybody, particularly if they were employed in exhorting the dying wretch to have hope in the destiny which was awaiting him in the World which he was about to enter.

The French Detective force has been greatly decried and deprecated by the public of recent years, and it has been commonly remarked that its members had lost that professional astuteness and ability which distinguished M. Claude and other famous *limiers*, who have either published their own experiences, like that worthy, or who have been described under assumed names by novelists of the "Gaboriau school." The promptness with which Allmayer, the notorious swindler, was recently arrested at Havre shows, however, that there are still some fine "bloodhounds" in the Detective force. M. Soudais, who was the prime-mover in the arrest of Allmayer, is one of these. He is a man between thirty-five and forty years old, with a short rugged beard, and looks like a rotund and comfortable citizen who has "made his pile," and has nothing to do for the remainder of his life but to discuss politics at second hand and to play dominoes in *cafés*. M. Soudais flies at all kinds of game, but his favourite birds are defaulting financiers and big swindlers. Nevertheless, when there is no important culprit to be followed from the Boulevards to the banks of the Bosphorus, M. Soudais does not disdain to track low murderers and burglars to their lairs in the Place Maubert or the dingy environs of Paris. One of his first captures was that of Savreux, a railway cashier who stole £6,000, and whom he arrested in Vienna. Later on he hunted out Maisonneuve, who murdered a loose woman in the Rue de Rome; Ulm and Farine, two wretches who "knifed" an old *bourgeois* to death in the Vincennes-wood, and finally he tracked Mouvet, the absconding bank-director, to Constantinople, and, with the aid of two Levantine thieves, laid a trap for him into which he fell. M. Soudais was obliged to employ the thieves, because he could, as he says, reckon but little on the help of the Constantinople police. As for Allmayer, the Detective had looked for him in Belgrade, then in Genoa, and next in Biarritz, and it was only by the merest chance that he heard of the swindler's presence in Normandy, whither Allmayer had gone in order to "cut a dash" during the Summer-season with the mercenary creature of his affections.

Another skilful and audacious swindler, who has been closely following in the footsteps of Allmayer—arrested at Havre, the other day, just as he was out driving with an *amie*—is now wanted by the Paris police. The fellow stayed for a while at the Hotel-Windsor; gave his name as Adler; and is described as having all those aristocratic airs and "almighty manners" which, in the mind of the average Gaul, are invariably associated with the *Milord Anglais*. Adler, dressed to perfection, and wearing super-varnished boots, left his hotel every morning in a superb "victoria," which he had hired, and was driven about by a smart coachman to various tradesmen, from whom he obtained valuable goods on account. His latest victim was a fashionable outfitter in the Rue de la Paix, at whose establishment he selected a case of travelling necessaries, worth £280. He first pretended to be about to pay the outfitter, but offered him instead a choice Havannah, and finally dazzled him so much that the tradesman allowed the lordlike customer to walk out of the shop without paying for the travelling-case, which was put into the "victoria." That afternoon the victimised tradesman, feeling an uncomfortable suspicion creep over him, sent the bill up to the Windsor, with instructions to the messenger to wait for the money; but the aristocratic Adler had gone away, like Alfred Jingle, having been expelled from the hotel as a "soulless" vagabond.

A sad accident has just occurred at the Creusot Races. M. Lefort, an officer in the Thirteenth Dragoons, was riding in the Grand Steeplechase, when his horse, catching his feet in one of the hurdles, fell on him. M. Lefort was picked up insensible, and, despite all the care and attention lavished on him, he expired the same evening.

On the Bourse to-day the last quotations were: Three per Cents., 84f 37½c (a fall of 10c); Four and a Half per Cents., 105f 97½c (a fall of 7½c); Italians, 97f 85c (a fall of 10c); Turks, 15f 00c (no change); Spanish-Exteriors, 73f 10c; Egyptian-Unified, 431f 25c; ditto Preference, 521f; and Ottoman-Bank, 551f 87c. Suez-Canal Shares closed at 2,238f 75c, and Rio Tinto at 510f. Home funds were weak to-day, as well as most of the foreign stocks. There was a fall of 20c in Spanish-Exteriors and of 5f in Egyptian-Unified, while Italians, Russians, and Portuguese were heavy.

Baron Henry de Worms, having been ordered complete rest, has left The Lodge, Folkestone, with the Baroness for the Continent. The Baron has accepted an invitation from the Greenock Corporation to visit Greenock and receive an address in recognition of his services at the International Sugar Convention, and has fixed the date for Oct. 24. He is also to be entertained at dinner by the sugar refiners and merchants of the town, and in the evening will speak on the general question of sugar bounties at a public meeting.

On his visit to Bradford next week, Mr. Chamberlain will be the guest of Mr. T. A. Watson, J.P., at Thackley. The right hon. gentleman will deliver two addresses—one at a meeting in St. George's Hall on Wednesday night (succeeding the conference of Liberal Unionist associations), and the other at a breakfast at the Alexandra Hotel on the following morning.

IS MARRIAGE A FAILURE?

TO THE EDITOR OF "THE DAILY TELEGRAPH."

SIR—The ingenious proposal of "An Observer" and other of your correspondents, having for an object the brightening of the dull round of domestic modern life, is laudable enough. But the first essential to the success of his schemes of philanthropy appears to be that the British householder should be socially born anew. "An Observer" thinks too much formality is observed in the friendship of neighbours, but the lairs of those surly folk who find marriage a failure and utilise the space you so liberally allow them in bewailing the dull blank of nuptial existence are not to be approached by friends or acquaintances in the light, fantastic method he so much commends. I, for one, fear that those unsophisticated, small, and early gatherings of his, his friendly converse, his "music, recitations, and what not" would only be feasible in the homes of those who are already wise in their arrangements, and more or less capable of enjoying life; the dissatisfied or discontented, until time has taught them better moods, will neither make good hosts nor reasonable guests. No! We may depend upon it, it is not over-domesticity that is at fault; there is no panacea for social dulness in taking holidays apart from your spouse, or making acquaintances' lives a burden to them through fear of your "small and early" incursions. Happiness is not to be found by paddling down your street after nightfall and dropping in "promiscuously" at Myrtle Villa or Cedar Cottage to find a surly host looking over the last quarter's bills, and his good wife spent and weary from her latest skirmish with the nursery. No doubt the drift at the present time is all to the other extreme, a foolish pride and formality, killing friendly converse, and making social pleasures where means are limited, as your correspondent points out, anything but pleasurable. Here there is certainly plenty of room for improvement. Every practical reformer would be glad to have the householder of modest means understand that in matters of social enjoyment the greengrocer from round the corner in his evening clothes is not essential to the respectability of a friendly gathering, and as little is bad champagne from the nearest grocer's the only font of human happiness on these occasions. By all means let "Observer" mend middle-class ways of fraternity and neighbourliness if he can; let him banish formalities, and teach the wholesome lesson that ostentation is but another word for snobbery. But he will fail hopelessly in any schemes for brightening English homes if he does not remember the sanctity of the British household, or seeks to establish amongst us an era of "surprise parties" on the American model, calculated only to promote in our quiet crescents and squares disgust and disappointment. It is internal domestic amendment which must be looked to to improve that decorous dulness marking the middle-class domicile, and responsible, according to many of your correspondents, for our matrimonial discontent. There is already plenty of cheap and wholesome evening amusement for those who must seek their pleasures afield, but in the English home itself, "the nucleus of the Empire," we must cultivate the science of peace and enjoyment. If the girls of to-day were taught those thousand arts of domesticity which make even the smallest household an inexhaustible field of useful and pleasant labour, and the boys were moved to endow themselves with a love and delight in some of the fascinating hobbies of the times by way of occupation for their leisure hours, the next generation would probably find a great diminution in the number of those who are dull, and weary of what, in truth, is but their own lack of wit and sense. I am, yours faithfully,

London, Sept 11. AN ONLOOKER.

TO THE EDITOR OF "THE DAILY TELEGRAPH."

SIR—Will you kindly allow an old maid to give her opinion as to why marriage is so often a failure. Lookers-on always see most of the game, and I, being one of those whose lot it is to take care of other women's bairns, have had some experience, both of the homes where marriage is in every sense of the word a success, and also of those houses (I will not call them homes) where marriage has proved, as it so often does, a dead failure, and I maintain that in nine cases out of ten it is neither the smallness of the income nor the many children that causes the unhappiness, but the wife who, neglecting to make her home happy and cheerful, worries her husband's life out, aye, and her children's, too, by fretting over trifles. If a girl were taught to be womanly and true, and to understand that, married or single, there will always be work to do and trials to endure, and that a woman's lot is "loving and giving," then, I say, when she marries there will be no fear of her degenerating into a selfish, wearying woman; and her husband, finding in her a loving helpmeet, ever ready to sympathise and comfort, will most assuredly treat her with that honour and respect which all men, whether good or bad, feel for a wife who strives to do her duty.—I am, Sir, yours, &c.,

AN OLD MAID.

Granada-road, Southsea, Sept. 9.

TO THE EDITOR OF "THE DAILY TELEGRAPH."

SIR—Many of your correspondents during the present controversy have, like "An Old Clergyman," insisted upon the Divine origin of marriage. May I ask for space to inquire of these believers whence comes the faith that is in them? How have they got the "idea of the true origin and Divine sanction of the ordinance"? Certainly not from the Bible, as the whole teaching of that sacred book is opposed to our marriage laws and customs. Nowhere, for instance, do we find any prohibition of polygamy; yet the Church and our law declare it to be a serious crime. When we turn to the Patriarchs we find the morals of these elect exceedingly loose—from a modern point of view. Indeed, their unfaithfulness to their wives seemed a characteristic trait. About the private lives of the great characters of the New Testament and their relations to the other sex we know nothing. But one thing is certain, that neither our Lord nor His disciples ever gave any Divine sanction to marriage by performing the ceremony. St. Paul, also, in his 1st Epistle to Corinthians, writes a long chapter (vii.) against the desirability of Christians marrying. Strange these rather important utterances of St Paul are ignored in our marriage service. Should the supporters of the Divine-origin theory rely upon our Lord's presence at the Cana marriage I fear they will find themselves beset with difficulties, just as Roman Catholics and total abstainers have done, for that marriage was an ordinary Jewish one, and therefore presumably polygamous. Thus we see there is very little excuse for asserting the Divine origin. This compact was in times past, as it is now, worldly and commonplace, without a thought of religion.—Your obedient servant,

ANTI-CANT.

Reading, Sept 8.

TO THE EDITOR OF "THE DAILY TELEGRAPH."

SIR—I am fully persuaded that many of the failures in marriage may be traced to young men marrying girls above them in a social position. Instead of one in their own, or a degree or so below them with regard to education and refinement, girls must marry an accomplished musician, a critic in art, or a judge of literature. Yet, with all their fine accomplishments, they are quite ignorant how to make a suet pudding for their husband's dinner. With your permission I will give an instance—and a sad one it is—of failure in a marriage which took place between a young man and a lady who was above him in the so-called social scale of life. The young man, whom I will call Tomkins, was a cashier in one of the large City banks. He was as handsome a man as you would "see in a day's march," and was as good in moral habits as in personal appearance. The lady was elegant, pretty, accomplished, fascinating, and, I will add, loving. Mrs. Tomkins, however, did not, as she had never been taught, know the value of money. She ought to have married a man worth £10,000 a year instead of one whose stipend was less than that in hundreds. Tomkins had a great weakness, he loved his wife to distraction, he could refuse her nothing; in the words of the world he was an infatuated fool. If Mrs. Brown had a new bonnet that "became her," Mrs. T. must have one just like it, although it was known that Brown was a City millionaire. If Mrs. Jones invited Mr. and Mrs. T. to dinner they must be asked back again. Mrs. Robinson had a pony-chaise and pair; Mrs. T. must have one too; the T.'s could not be behind the Browns. After a little more than a year from the bridal day poor T. found the quarterly bills were so numerous and heavy that he was unable to meet them; he had drawn all the money he had invested before his marriage in settling previous quarterly accounts. What did T. do under the circumstances? Why, he did what many before him and since have done; he contracted a loan with the money-lenders, and more than that he actually dared to remonstrate with his wife and tell her expenses must be cut down, or things would go to the bad with them, as his income would not permit of anything like the annual outlay. Poor T., who had denied himself every luxury and fed himself at a small eating house, where he could get a cheap dinner, was told by his *cara sposa* that she was "sure T. must be very extravagant in his habits, as no one could be more careful than she was; for Mrs. Brown had three new dresses and two new bonnets to every one she had, therefore it could not be her (Mrs. T.'s) fault." Then out came the cambric, which she so well knew how to use, to wipe away the flood of tears which had welled up in her eyes because of T.'s cruel words. This was too much for the loving husband's feelings. He could not bear to see his darling weeping, and he kissed away her tears and acknowledged that he alone was to blame. The old style was carried on till the next quarter's bills became due, and then came the climax to his married career. Bills came in for, to him, fearful amounts. The moneylender threatened exposure if his claims were not at once admitted and paid. Pressed for money on all sides, T., in an evil moment, *borrowed* some of his employer's capital, which he was in hopes of replacing in a short time, but was detected, charged at the Old Bailey, and although the heads of the house asked that a lenient sentence might be passed, the presiding judge sentenced poor Tomkins to five years' penal servitude. The above are facts, and the case will probably be recognised by many who were acquainted with the unhappy man. That it was T.'s first and only act of dishonesty is the firm belief of every one who was in a position to judge of his character, and yet the public are asking for divorces from men who have been sentenced to penal servitude. I would ask in the above case "Who was the greater sinner?" It may be interesting to some of your lady readers to know what became of Tomkins after serving his term of imprisonment? As soon as he obtained his discharge, without even visiting his own friends, he rushed off and engaged a passage in a vessel just on the point of sailing for one of the Australian colonies, where he safely landed; and the last the writer heard of him was that he was in good health, working on the roads with pickaxe and shovel. His wife returned to her friends in the country as soon as her husband received his sentence at the Old Bailey.

Moral: Don't live beyond your income, and then one of the problems, "Is Marriage a Failure?" will be solved satisfactorily.—I am, Sir, BUNBURY.

London, Sept. 6.

TO THE EDITOR OF "THE DAILY TELEGRAPH."

SIR—I think there can be very little doubt that marriage, whether a merely human or (as I believe) a Divine institution, has on the whole been a very great success; that nothing has tended more to raise mankind from barbarism to civilisation; and that nothing, on the other hand, would be more likely to throw back a nation into barbarism than any attempt to relax its sanctions. At the same time it can hardly be denied that many marriages have individually proved to be failures. The question is, Can any remedy be found in these cases? Would it be safe and wise for the State to interfere, and dissolve a union which has evidently turned out disastrous? Your correspondents have answered the question in a great variety of ways; but all who write from the Christian standpoint seem to have taken it for granted that the Bible absolutely forbids divorce in any case, or at least only allows it in one. Is that really the fact? The passage upon which the unlawfulness of divorce is chiefly founded is that in which our Lord, in answer to the question of His disciples, "Is it lawful for a man to put away his wife for every cause?" replied that the true ideal of marriage is that it is a union for life, and consequently indissoluble. His disciples thereupon asked Him the pertinent question, "Why, then, did Moses allow of divorce?" to which our Lord answered that it was "because of the hardness of men's hearts." If, then, it may fairly be argued, Moses, by Divine command, allowed of divorce, why may not a Christian Legislature, under wise and proper restrictions, do the same? Surely we have only to read some recent cases in the Divorce Courts to perceive that there is as much "hardness of heart"—as unloving a disposition—to be seen sometimes between man and wife now as could have existed then. The question is, Did our Lord mean that Moses was right or wrong in allowing divorce? Undoubtedly His meaning was that he was right under the circumstances. If, then, it can be shown that similar circumstances exist in the present day, is it not the sad necessity as well as the bounden duty of a Christian Legislature to provide a similar remedy? Of course I write under a full sense of the terrible danger of relaxing in the slightest degree the sanctions of marriage, upon the maintenance of which the very foundations of society and the happiness of millions depend.—I am, Sir, yours faithfully,

AN ENGLISH CHURCHMAN.

Upham, Sept. 8.

TO THE EDITOR OF "THE DAILY TELEGRAPH."

SIR—Though the tendency of the age is against that courteous chivalry shown towards women which has prevailed in England, it has not died out in Ireland, and marriage is, and I trust always will be, held sacred there. Though a Protestant myself, I have great respect for the Roman Catholic priests, who fulfil such a good work by devoting all their lives, and every energy, to the welfare of each of their flock, not alone for their spiritual but bodily health too. The priests are responsible for many of the happy marriages made in Ireland, for their endeavour is to unite only those persons whose characters they have gauged and whose temperaments are suited. It is a great pleasure to record the high moral tone that prevails throughout Ireland. It has been my privilege to be acquainted personally with many families in various parts of England and Ireland, and in over thirty cases that I can now recall only one marriage has proved unfortunate. The reason there was that beauty was the object sought for, instead of the love born from knowledge of good qualities. I believe the majority of English people must be heart and soul against a system of "free love" as has been suggested by some of your correspondents. Surely such a scheme aimed at England's social fabric must fall to the ground. Her true men and women can never allow that British word "home," with all its bright reminiscences, to be lightly thrown aside.

Marriage can never be a failure if entered into with a proper spirit. It will be enough to mention such names on England's "Roll of Honour" as Pitt, Lord Beaconsfield, Lord Shaftesbury, the Earl of Iddesleigh, Mr. Gladstone, and others—men who have not been ashamed to own that much of their happiness in this life and many of the benefits they have been able to confer on others have been largely due to the love, the nobleness, and unselfishness of their wives.—Yours faithfully,

C. E. HAWKINS.

Bayswater, Sept 5.

TO THE EDITOR OF "THE DAILY TELEGRAPH."

SIR—Allow me to suggest that young ladies should be taught to read, mark, learn, and inwardly digest Katharina's speech in the last scene of "The Taming of the Shrew." That lesson, got by heart before marriage, will sweeten the years after, I am disposed to think.—Yours, &c.,

CLIFTON.

Bristol, Sept. 6.

TO THE EDITOR OF "THE DAILY TELEGRAPH."

SIR—Assuming that marriage is sanctioned and prompted alike by Nature and by Holy Writ, how strange and how sad that the question should arise "Is it a failure?" If it be a failure in many an instance, surely the fault must lie not with the institution but with the contracting parties or surrounding influences. The happiness of marriage bears, I think, a direct proportion to the "naturalness" of those who wed. The working classes of our country are, I contend, the freest from the veneer and the falseness that constitute the curse of their so-called "betters." The result is that, on the whole (despite many an obvious drawback), the proportion of happy unions amongst them is larger than among the middle and the higher ranks. I look at a provincial town which I believe to be typical of its fellows. What of the girls of the better classes? Giddy, thoughtless, dressy to a degree, the vast majority kill time in fancy amusements, know next to nothing of domestic duties and responsibilities; and their small-talk, though it may fascinate men as foolish as themselves, disheartens and disgusts all sober-minded people. Their views, in short, are as constricted as their waists. What is the natural result? Young men despise them, and either remain single till they pick up a good girl, or if they marry one of the giddy creatures, treat her as a plaything, not as a companion and an equal. And where lies the blame? Of course there is another side to the picture—the husband is not always innocent. Borne along on the pinions of passion (which too often he mistakes for love) he treats his sweetheart as an idol. After marriage passion declines and gives way to selfishness and all the mean tyrannies that a small-minded man knows so well how to employ; the woman sinks from an idol to a slave, and the parties, having ceased to be *en rapport*, are peevish and sullen, or heart-broken and crushed. No wonder, then, in cases like these marriage is a failure. Hasty marriages I look upon as a fearful evil. Young women are generally taught that marriage is the end and not the beginning of life, and to use their attractions with the objects of trapping, not winning, a partner. What but misery can follow such a course? Depend upon it, ignorance, selfishness, and meddling interference are largely to blame for unhappy unions. Before there is any attempt to tamper with the marriage institution, let the following simple remedies be tried. Before marriage (1) Let every young woman receive a useful, practical, as well as ornamental education. (2) Let those who contemplate matrimony look well before they leap. (3) Let what one is, not what one has, be a prior consideration. (4) Let other qualifications besides face and figure be borne in mind. (5) Let the system of match-making be abolished. After marriage (1) Let the husband make of his wife a companion and confidante, and the wife render herself worthy of the privilege. (2) Let the wife be queen of the home, and the husband regard his home as the centre of his joy and happiness. (3) Let the closure be put on all interference from relatives or friends. (4) Lastly, let the "golden rule" be the lode-star of wedded existence. These are simple suggestions which every one can adopt, but if adopted there would be fewer marriage failures, fewer heart-breakings, and as a consequence fewer of those miserable shipwrecks which abound along the coasts of human existence.—Yours, &c.,

A. B. P. M.

Llanelly, Sept 10.

TO THE EDITOR OF "THE DAILY TELEGRAPH."

SIR—A "Middle-Class Girl" approves of the suggestion that a club be formed where young persons of both sexes could meet, with the object of forming life partnerships. Does your correspondent know what the average young man about town is like? Would such a club be popular with the young men if conducted with decorum, and, if not properly conducted, would the "Middle-Class Girl" frequent it? Besides, does she consider the jealousies and the heart-burnings that would be felt by those who had the mortification to see the best prizes of the club carried off by their rivals?

Nothing has surprised me more than that reforms in the marriage laws should be advocated by women. The Englishwoman has everything to lose and nothing to gain by so-called reform. She is consulted more in the choice of her partner, and, when chosen, she is more his equal than her fellow in any other country.

The woman is aged long before the man, and, if discarded by him after her youth is past, is she likely to obtain another partner? And who is so likely to bear with the weaknesses of her old age as the partner of her youth?—Yours,

RUSTIC.

Beckington, Sept. 10.

TO THE EDITOR OF "THE DAILY TELEGRAPH."

SIR—The letters now appearing in your paper are to me of great interest, because I am a young bachelor with a comfortable income, not uglier than my fellow men, and, therefore, conceited enough to think that if I wish to marry the necessary young lady will be forthcoming. I hesitate, however, to take the fatal plunge because my spooney stage is a thing of the past, and I am now of an age when a man begins to get a bit critical about a girl. I also pause because I happen to be blessed with a large number of friends and relations who have entered the marriage state, very few of whom (on their own admissions) can be termed happily married. I am, therefore, in a dilemma. I know and dread the disadvantages of remaining a selfish old bachelor. On the other hand I fear and tremble at the idea of being tied up to a girl, perhaps unhappily, for the rest of my life. I shall probably drift on, as many better men have done in this undecided state, until I arrive at an age when I shall consider myself too old to marry, and, therefore, remain a

Charing-cross, Sept. 10. SELFISH BACHELOR.

TO THE EDITOR OF "THE DAILY TELEGRAPH."

SIR—I daresay it has often occurred to many of your readers that there would oftener be happier marriages if there were more opportunities for the selection of husbands and wives. How many of us unwilling bachelors there are who do not number among our acquaintance any girl for whom we can feel that sympathy of mind and purpose so necessary for a happy life together, nor yet sufficient confidence to trust them with the rearing of our children. There are many, as I know, in this dilemma—including myself. They are fairly well to do and in good social positions, but they do not happen to have met a girl that they have anything in common with. In my case, having no sister and being far from home I have scarcely had a chance. Many a man in such circumstances marries not any girl who comes in his way [illegible] a desire for marriage being an instinct of his species. He marries her [illegible], weary of a single life, and wanting some one to care for and make happy. Besides, he hates a lonely dinner every day. So he takes his chance of happiness and too often loses it because the spirit of the thing is wanting. Now, are we to take such a risk or remain in single blessedness for ever? I only wish that there were means—I care not how or what—by which I could find some cheery, healthy girl, with broad views and generous sympathies, of intelligence and refinement, a sweet disposition and a gentle heart—not too good-looking, but just actively a gentlewoman in the truest sense of the word—"Clear grit," as the Yankees call it. If she has tastes musical and artistic so much the better, but these are not necessaries. If she had a little money of her own to provide for accidents for her pin money, or to give a better education to her children than I could, perhaps, afford, so much the better. But it is of no consequence if she is content, and, having nothing, she is welcome still. For such a woman is a priceless treasure in herself, no matter what her means. I expect there are many men searching for such as I have mentioned; but I am afraid they are very rare, and that many of the best of them, by that contrariety which is so common in the world, too often throw their hearts away on some good-for-nothing scamp, with neither honour, industry, nor principle. In the same way I have known and read of many splendid fellows—large-hearted and noble men—mated with some Megæra who simply makes their lives a horror. How can this be remedied?—I am, Sir, yours faithfully,

Weymouth, Sept. 10. NOCH LINSAM.

TO THE EDITOR OF "THE DAILY TELEGRAPH."

SIR—If marriage is a failure in the majority of cases, it is for want of due consideration before entering upon it. The passions have been captivated by the beautiful face and elegant figure, and frequently before the honeymoon is over the enamoured husband begins to find out that the being he thought was an angel is, after all, a mindless, commonplace daughter of Eve, with really nothing but her beauty and a few acquired accomplishments to recommend her. He has listened to his feelings, not his judgment; he has taken a leap in the dark, and, when too late, begins to discover that, with such a partner for life, he is more likely to have misery than happiness. The remedy for such disappointments is longer courtships. No man should enter the married state till he knows the disposition of the one he wishes to make his wife as well as he knows the disposition of his mother or sister. This knowledge is not acquired at once; it takes time and close observation, but when once acquired, and found to be satisfactory, all the chances are in its favour that the after marriage will never turn out a failure. I have been married three times, and can speak from experience. I first entered the married state when I was twenty-seven years of age, having been acquainted with the lady I married and her family for five previous years. She turned out what I anticipated, a kind, loving wife, and when she died ten years after, leaving me a widower with five children, the blow was a terrible one. Some time after her death I had an opportunity of going into business on my own account, and I saw that to succeed I must marry again, so fixed upon a young lady who had been an intimate friend of my late wife, and whom in consequence I had known for many years. She also turned out what I had expected, an excellent wife and a kind mother to my children. After fourteen years I once more became a widower. In the meantime my family and my business had increased, and after struggling on manfully for over twelve months I found that the same kind of circumstances that compelled me to marry a second time would force me to marry a third time, so there was nothing for it but to look out for a third wife. Again I had fortunately not far to look, for as my second wife had been an old friend of my first wife, so my third wife was an old and intimate friend of my second wife, and when she was taken with the illness that carried her off, this friend left her family to tend her, and do what she could in a motherly way for my children. After due time, therefore, I offered her my hand, which she honoured me by accepting, though I was old enough to be her father, and now we have been married close on twenty years, without either of us ever having cause to repent coming together.

I think this simple history of my married life carries its own moral.—I am, Sir, yours truly,

ONE WHO HAS BEEN MARRIED THREE

Bath, Sept. 10. TIMES.

TO THE EDITOR OF "THE DAILY TELEGRAPH."

SIR—I do not think that enough has been made of one of the chief and most fruitful causes of "failure" in marriage, where it may be said to have been a failure. I mean drink. If only the "marriage failures" could be tabulated, and the true cause assigned for that terrible and confessed condition of misery which we so frequently see to be consequent upon marriage, and which makes so many rue the day they ever were married—if these "failures," I say, could be tabulated, I think that a very large proportion of the failures would be found to be due to drink; yes, and not only among the lowest classes either. I am sure I am no fanatic on this subject. I do not press teetotalism upon every one as the virtue of virtues; and I can thoroughly respect the moderate drinker, but my experience has gone to show me that if only we could make people strictly sober we need not readjust the divorce laws, nor meddle with the marriage service. We should have many more happy homes, and marriage failures would be rare; not altogether unknown, of course. There are other causes of misery besides drink, but I venture to say that in those houses where drink is not found there is not found either a tithe of that misery which makes the sufferers groan and say, "Alas, that I was ever married!" It is not that "marriage" is a "failure," but rather that people fail to do what they might to make it a very real and blessed "success."—I am, Sir, faithfully yours,

A NORTH-COUNTRY PARSON.

Stockton-on-Tees, Sept. 8.

TIGHT-LACING AND STAYS.

TO THE EDITOR OF "THE DAILY TELEGRAPH."

SIR—I observe that in a leading article printed on Monday you refer to a comparison which I am supposed to have made between the outline of women dressed according to the prevailing fashion and that of a figure on an Etruscan vase, and I cannot consider it surprising that you find something "slightly random" in so inapt a comparison. What I actually compared was the outline of women ordinarily dressed and that of the vase itself—the lower part of the latter roughly resembling in outline the artificial expansion of the skirt, and its narrower middle part corresponding to the constriction of the waist, which women, instinctively aiming at a line of beauty, promote artificially by their stays. An evil can rarely be dealt with effectually until its causes are made clear, and if it is seen that women have for centuries worn constricting stays as a natural sequel of wearing expansive skirts, it will be admitted that the object of health-promoters must be to alter the latter, and not alone the former.—Your obedient servant,

Sept. 11. W. WILBERFORCE SMITH, M.D.

THE PARNELL COMMISSION.

The preliminary meeting of the Parnell Commission (Special Commission Act, 1888) will take place on Monday next, at eleven o'clock, and will be held in Probate Court 1 of the Royal Courts of Justice, when the Commissioners (Sir James Hannen, Mr. Justice Day, and Mr. Justice A. L. Smith) will attend and hear any applications, by any party entitled to attend before them, under the provisions of the abovenamed Act, by their counsel, solicitor, or in person. For the convenience of the parties concerned, their counsel, solicitors, and others having business in court, a special form of ticket has been issued by the Secretary to the Commission, Mr. H. Cunynghame, and admission by a special door will be reserved for the holders of these tickets.

Lord Stanley of Preston, the Governor-General of Canada, yesterday opened the Exhibition at Toronto, in the presence of a large and enthusiastic crowd. His Excellency was everywhere heartily received. The streets were gaily decorated with bunting, but there was a marked decrease in the display of American flags, as compared with former occasions.—*Reuter.*

Last night's *Gazette* contains the official announcements of the promotions and appointments to the Most Distinguished Order of SS. Michael and George, &c., for services rendered at the recent Fisheries Conference at Washington, and which have already been published.

The negotiations for the conclusion of a Servo-Bulgarian Commercial Treaty will commence at Belgrade to-day.—*Reuter.*

La République Française denies that M. Peytral, the French Minister of Finance, has any intention of having recourse to a loan to liquidate the financial situation.

NAVAL MOVEMENTS.—Our Sheerness correspondent telegraphs: The Admiralty have ordered the vessels composing the training squadron to proceed to the North Sea and Baltic on a short cruise. The Rover and Calypso will leave Sheerness on Friday, and will effect a junction in the Downs with the Volage and Active. At the termination of the cruise it is expected that the Rover and Calypso will be paid out of commission, and that their places in the training squadron will be taken by the new fast cruisers Mersey and Arethusa.

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LAD.—WANTED, respectable lad, for invoice desk in City office. Must write neat hand, and do weight calculations quickly. State age and salary required.—Address K. S. [illegible], Messrs. Deacon's, Leadenhall-street.

LADY WANTED, as apprentice for two years to ladies' hairdressing.—For terms apply to Marie Maycock, 1, Colonnade, Leamington.

LADY HELP WANTED.—Quiet, comfortable home, with small remuneration, offered to a lady, to take charge of a boy two years old and assist generally. Treated as one of the family.—Apply by letter to X. Y. Z., Buxton House, Chiswick.

LAUNDRY.—WANTED, competent FOREWOMAN, to manage laundry, in shirt manufactory.—Apply to S. D., Bradford and Co., 140, High Holborn, London.

LAW.—WANTED, a thoroughly competent SHORTHAND CLERK, in a solicitor's office in the City.—Address, stating age, reference, and salary, to L. W. 20, Messrs. Deacon's, Leadenhall-street, E.C.

MAN and WIFE (without incumbrance) REQUIRED by a single gentleman resident in London. Duties: Husband as valet and to wait at table, wife as cook and housemaid. Wages £50 a year. Highest references required.—Apply by letter, stating age and full particulars, to K. X. 725, Messrs. Deacon's, Leadenhall-street.

MANCHESTER DEPARTMENT.—WANTED, good SALESMAN, of good address, and thoroughly businesslike, steady, and good stockkeeper.—Apply after six to Charles Fauser and Co., Kilburn.

MANTLE SALES.—WANTED, good SALESWOMEN, accustomed to the department.—Apply personally and at once at Peter Robinson's Mourning Warehouse, 256, Regent-street, W. (See Mr. Griffiths.)

MANTLES.—WANTED, an experienced SALESWOMAN, accustomed to a high-class order trade.—Apply, with full particulars of experience, to Jessop and Son, Mercers, Nottingham.

MANTLES.—WANTED, a good SALESWOMAN.—Apply to R. Boardall, 232, Oxford-street, Regent-circus.

MANTLES.—WANTED, a thoroughly practical FOREWOMAN to take charge of a work room, making up for the wholesale. One able to get up new patterns will be liberally treated with.—Address Mantles, Box [illegible], Postal Department, Daily Telegraph, Fleet-street, E.C.

MANTLES.—WANTED, a SECOND HAND, for mantle work room, who can cut and fit. Indoors.—Apply to F. Roland and Co., 1, 2, 3, 4, New Bond-street, Bath.

MANTLES.—SALESWOMAN WANTED, for the season.—E. Hennington and Sons, Brighton.

MANTLES.—Good CUTTER WANTED. London trade.—Apply, between one and three p.m., 76, Wood Exchange, E.C.

MANURES, Cakes, and Seeds.—WANTED, an experienced SALESMAN, thoroughly acquainted with all large consumers and dealers in the Home Counties.—Apply, by letter only, to D. M'Naughton, 79, Mark-lane, London, E.C.

MEN, Youths, Boys, and all classes requiring any EMPLOYMENT (indoor or out), write or call. Situation guide free. Busy time. Hundreds suited. Many more wanted from town and country.—Tanner and Co., 112, Newington-causeway, London. Men late army, navy, or merchant service also write.

MILLINERS.—WANTED, first hand, for sales and practical part, also one for work room only.—Full particulars to Thomas Frenley, Southampton.

MILLINERS.—WANTED, a clever first hand MILLINER accustomed to high-class work. Liberal salary.—Mesdames Webber, 18, Market-street, Nottingham.

MILLINERS.—First hand WANTED, with best West-end experience.—Madame Wane, 105, Westbourne-grove.

MILLINERS and FANCY DRAPERY HANDS WANTED, also Working Housekeeper.—J. Nott, 201, Mile-end-road (opposite White Horse-lane).

MILLINERY.—APPRENTICES and IMPROVERS WANTED (outdoor), also clever First Hand, with good City or West experience.—E. M. Johnson, 47, Ludgate-hill (private door, St. Martin's-court).

MILLINERY DEPARTMENT.—John Barker and Co., Kensington High-street, require an experienced YOUNG LADY to take the management. Close on Saturdays at two o'clock.

MORE and CO. (Limited), Family Ale and Stout Brewers, 34, Old-street, E.C., require thoroughly experienced CANVASSERS, with good connection amongst private families, &c., especially for City and West-end. Salary and commission.—Only those who can give two years' reference from last employers need apply, after three p.m.

NURSE WANTED. Aged between 25 and 35. Good wages given to one thoroughly trustworthy and accustomed to children.—Mrs. F. Stevens, 175, Edgware-road, W.

NURSE (superior) WANTED, for Kensington. Aged 28 to 35. Three children, 15, five, and three years of age. Must be good manager and needlewoman, with personal character. Assistance given.—Write, with full particulars, to E. L., Mrs. Richards, East Hall, Buckland, North Cadbury, Bath.

NURSE (experienced).—WANTED immediately, nurse for a lady's first baby. Personal character, and good needlewoman.—Apply, from twelve o'clock this day, at 51, Cleveland-square, Hyde Park.

NURSE ATTENDANT WANTED for an invalid gentleman and to make herself generally useful. Must be bright and cheerful and have some experience of nursing. Aged between 35 and 40.—Address by letter Z., Library, 193, Uxbridge-road, W.

OPEN to ALL.—£2 to £10 per week easily earned without interfering with present occupations. This advertisement is genuine.—For particulars see "Trade, Finance, and Recreation," of all Newsvendors and Railway Bookstalls, or post free 2d., 35, Mark-lane, E.C.

PIANOFORTE TUNER.—WANTED immediately, a good pianoforte tuner. Must be a good repairer, steady and respectable.—References, age, and salary, to E. Colby Evans, Guildhall-square, Carmarthen.

PRACTICAL MANAGER WANTED, for red brick works. Moderate salary and house. Preference given to applicants prepared to deposit £500, or thereabouts, at interest. Highest references required.—Letters only to A. M. B., care of Southwood, Smith, and Co., 4, King-street, Cheapside, London.

REQUIRED, for the counting house of wholesale City house, an intelligent JUNIOR CLERK. Must be good writer and arithmetician.—Address, stating full particulars, C. K., Box 4,252, Postal Department, Daily Telegraph, Fleet-street, E.C.

REQUIRED, a respectable TRAVELLER. Must have a good connection among wholesale and shipping buyers of Birmingham made studs, &c.—Address, stating salary required, B., Box [illegible], Postal Department, Daily Telegraph, Fleet-street, E.C.

REQUIRED, in a shipping office in the North of England, a CLERK, with slight chartering experience and knowledge of French and German.—Apply by letter to S. C. 727, Messrs. Deacon's, Leadenhall-street.

REQUIRED, respectable man as TRAVELLER, to call on ironmongers, oilmen, &c. Salary to commence 30s. per week, and out of pocket expenses. Small cash security. No previous knowledge necessary, but must be active and industrious.—B. H. J., at Horncastle's, 61, Cheapside.

REQUIRED, a sharp lad, from school, as JUNIOR CLERK in office. Small salary to commence with.—H. Z. C., Horncastle's, 61, Cheapside, E.C.

REQUIRED, by a high-class lithographic house, a MANAGER, to take entire charge of litho department. Must be capable of controlling transfer room and printing colour; must also be a strict disciplinarian. Undeniable references required.—Apply by letter to Messrs. Hadfner, Hilpert, and Co., Jewin-street.

REQUIRED, an ASSISTANT PUTTER-ON, for blocks and machines.—Apply to William Grebe and Co., Grove Works, Leeds.

REQUIRED, CLERKS and others to know that bad WRITING may be rapidly IMPROVED in a few easy lessons. Satisfaction guaranteed. Practical bookkeeping taught. Private lessons only, not class teaching.—Mr. Houston, 73, Chancery-lane, W.C.

REQUIRED, USEFUL HELP or NURSERY GOVERNESS to two children, aged seven and ten. Must be a good needlewoman.—Apply, any morning this week, at 64, Comeragh-road, West Kensington.

REQUIRED, a young woman, as ASSISTANT-BOOKKEEPER in a porkbutcher's business, for a few hours daily, and wholly on Saturday.—Apply, by letter, to Messrs. Wall and Sons, 113, Jermyn-street, S.W.

REQUIRED, for Beckenham, about Oct. 10 (two in family), a superior GENERAL SERVANT, with a knowledge of plain cooking. Wages £16. Also Housemaid; wages £20.—Apply, on Friday, from three to five, at Braemar, Penge-road, Beckenham.

RESPECTABLE GIRL WANTED, aged about 21, to do still-room work. Previous experience not necessary.—Apply to Manageress, Royal Hotel, Ventnor, I.W.

RESPECTABLE YOUTH WANTED, about 18, for the bar. Previous knowledge not required.—Apply at the Stafford Hotel, Harrow-road (opposite the Royal Oak Station).

RESPECTABLE YOUTH WANTED, in broker's office. Good penman. Small commencing salary.—Apply, in own handwriting, to G., care of W. Abbott's, 5, Eastcheap, E.C.

RESTAURANT ASSISTANT-MANAGER WANTED, for first-class City business. Must be experienced caterer and bar manager. State experience, salary required, references, &c.—Address A. P., Box [illegible], Postal Department, Daily Telegraph, Fleet-street, E.C.

ROAST COOK WANTED. Must be thoroughly experienced. Wages 30s. per week, including board, lodging, washing.—Apply, stating references and previous experience, to S. T., Central Station Hotel, Glasgow.

ROCKING HORSE MAKER WANTED. Must be experienced. Constant employment.—Apply to Jno. Owen and Co., Globe Mill, Holland-street, Pendleton, Manchester.

SALESMAN WANTED, for high-class leather goods and specialities, including dressing bags, cases, &c. Highest references as to respectability and general business ability required.—Apply by letter to H. Greaves, 35 and 36, New-street, Birmingham.

SALES BY AUCTION.

Telephone No. 1,[illegible] – Telegraphic address, "Akuter," London.– Sales for the Year 1888.

MESSRS. BAKER and SONS beg to announce that their SALES of LANDED ESTATES, investments, town, suburban, and country houses, business premises, building land, ground rents, reversions, shares, and other properties, will be held at the MART, Tokenhouse-yard, E.C., as follows:—

Friday, Oct. 12.	Friday, Nov. [illegible]	Friday, Dec. 14.
Friday, Oct. 2[illegible]	Friday, Nov. 30.	

Auctions can be held on days besides those above specified.– 11, Queen Victoria-street, E.C.

On Monday Next. Herne Bay, Hampton-on-Sea. Absolutely Without Reserve. Eligible Freehold Seaside Building Plots. Purchase money payable by easy instalments.

MESSRS. BAKER and SONS will SELL by AUCTION, in a marquee on the ESTATE, on MONDAY NEXT, Sept. 17, at two for 2.30 o'clock, 14[illegible] plots of valuable FREEHOLD BUILDING LAND, including a commanding corner hotel site and several shop plots, on the Grand Parade Estate, Hampton-on-Sea, adjoining the pier, and situate within easy reach of the railway station, having excellent frontages to the Hampton-parade, Eddington, Herncliffe, and Hampton gardens. The plots now offered command extensive sea and land views, and are well adapted for the erection of bungalows and villa residences. Free conveyances. Possession on payment of deposit. A special train will leave Holborn Viaduct at [illegible] on the morning of sale. A limited number of return tickets, at nominal fares, will be issued to intending purchasers. Luncheon will be provided.– Particulars may be had of the Hampton Pier Hotel, on the Estate; of [illegible] Taylor, Solicitor, [illegible] New Broad-street, E.C.; of Mr. W. Lewis, Land Agent, [illegible] Moorgate-street, E.C.; and of the Auctioneers, 11, Queen Victoria-street, London, E.C.

On Tuesday and Wednesday Next.– The Anglo-Danish Exhibition, South Kensington.

MESSRS. BAKER and SONS will SELL by AUCTION, at the EXHIBITION, South Kensington, on TUESDAY and WEDNESDAY NEXT, Sept. 18 and 19, at twelve, the valuable FITTINGS and APPOINTMENTS in the various departments, including [illegible] chairs, [illegible] yards of calico, cocoa matting, damask, rep, and other curtains and draperies, canvas screens, switchback railway (with the painted scenery forming background), the Danish village, consisting of 10 corrugated iron houses, the complete erection of the corrugated iron theatre, together with the scenery, [illegible], &c., several corrugated iron buildings, photographic studio, and others, the fernery and rustic bridges, a facsimile of Hamlet's grave in stone blocks, native boats, [illegible], iron fencing, and numerous miscellaneous effects.– May be viewed on Saturday and Monday, Sept. 15 and 17, between eleven and four. Catalogues of the Auctioneers, 11, Queen Victoria-street, E.C.

On Wednesday Next.– Ashtead, Surrey.– Freehold Building Plots. Purchase money payable by easy instalments.

MESSRS. BAKER and SONS will SELL by AUCTION, in a marquee on the ESTATE, on WEDNESDAY NEXT, Sept. 19, at three o'clock precisely, 2[illegible] plots of valuable FREEHOLD BUILDING LAND, including a commanding hotel plot, being the first portion of the Oakfield Estate, five minutes from Ashtead station of London, Brighton, and South Coast Railway, and near the celebrated Leatherhead and Ashtead Commons. The plots, which are situate in the midst of a charming district, possess capital frontages to Barnett-wood-lane and other well-made roads, and are admirably adapted for the erection of medium sized villas, for which there is a great demand in this favourite and healthy locality. The purchase of any plot will confer a vote for the county. Free conveyances. Possession will be given on payment of 10 per cent. deposit. A limited number of free return tickets will be issued to intending purchasers. Luncheon will be provided. Particulars and conditions of sale of Messrs. Hewlett and Preston, Solicitors, 2, Raymond-buildings, Gray's-inn, W.C.; of Messrs. Moore, [illegible], and Co., Surveyors, [illegible] Essex-street, Strand, W.C.; and of the Auctioneers, 11, Queen Victoria-street, E.C.

Wimbledon, Brentwood, and Acton.– Freehold Building Land.– Purchase money payable by instalments. Free conveyances.

MESSRS. BAKER and SONS will SELL by AUCTION, as under:

WIMBLEDON.– At the Prince of Wales Hotel, on Wednesday, Sept. 26, at six for seven in the evening, [illegible] plots of choice Freehold Building Land, being the second portion of the Merton Hall Estate, close to Wimbledon Station, having good frontages to [illegible] and Fairlawn roads, and well adapted for the erection of small shops and villas.– Vendors' Solicitors, Messrs. Kenrick and Pelling, [illegible] New Inn, Strand, W.C.

BRENTWOOD, Essex.– At the White Hart Hotel, High-street, on Thursday, Oct. 4, at three, [illegible] plots of valuable Freehold Building Land, on the [illegible] road Estate, 10 minutes from the railway station, having excellent frontages, and admirably adapted for small villas. Also 13 Dwelling Houses, Nos. 1 to 13, Essex villas, producing £[illegible] per annum, and Freehold Ground Rents amounting to £[illegible] per annum. A limited number of free return tickets will be issued to intending purchasers. Luncheon will be provided.– Vendor's Solicitor, T. Durant, Esq., [illegible] Guildhall-chambers, E.C.

ACTON, Middlesex.– At the Station Hotel, Acton, on Monday, Oct. 8, at seven, [illegible] plots of Freehold Building Land, being the first portion of the Horn-lane Estate, three minutes from Acton Station. The plots possess capital frontages to Horn-lane and [illegible]-road, and offer excellent sites for the erection of shops and private houses.– Vendors' Solicitors, Messrs. Freeman and Bothamley, 11, Queen-street, Cheapside, E.C.

SOUTH ACTON, Middlesex.– At the Windmill Tavern, on Monday, Oct. 15, at seven p.m., [illegible] plots of valuable Freehold Building Land, being a portion of the South Acton Estate, and well adapted for small residences.– Vendors' Solicitors, Messrs. Bolton and Co., [illegible] Temple-gardens, E.C.

Particulars of the respective Solicitors, and of the Auctioneers, 11, Queen Victoria-street, E.C.

By direction of Trustees and others.– Ashstead, Romford, City of London, and East Barnet.

MESSRS. BAKER and SONS will SELL by AUCTION the following FREEHOLD and LEASEHOLD INVESTMENTS:

At the Mart, on Friday, Oct. 12, at two.

ASHSTEAD (near Epsom).– Freehold family Residence, known as The [illegible], with stabling and grounds of about [illegible] acre, with possession.– Vendors' Solicitors, Messrs. Hewlett and Preston, 2, Raymond-buildings, Gray's Inn, W.C.

ROMFORD, Essex.– By order of Mortgagees.– In two lots.– A valuable Freehold Building Estate of about [illegible] acres, eligibly situate, eight minutes from Romford Station of Great Eastern Railway, affording excellent sites for the erection of villas; also a Freehold Ground Rent of £[illegible] per annum.– Vendors' Solicitors, Messrs. [illegible], Ainslie, and Mortimer, 20, Bedford-row, W.C.

BISHOPSGATE and LUDGATE HILL.– In [illegible] lots.– Capital Investments, producing £1,7[illegible] per annum, arising from the commanding premises, Nos. [illegible] to [illegible] (inclusive), Bishopsgate-avenue, Camomile-street, and Bishopsgate-street, and the well-built warehouses, Nos. [illegible] to [illegible], Ludgate-square. Unexpired terms of [illegible] years, at moderate ground rents.– Vendors' Solicitors, Messrs. Digby and Liddle, 1, Circus-place, Finsbury-square, E.C.

OAKLEIGH PARK (near Barnet, Middlesex).– In lots.– High-class Freehold Investments, arising from six well-built residences, producing £[illegible] per annum; also [illegible] plots of choice Freehold Building Land and amply secured Freehold Ground Rents of £[illegible] per annum.– Vendors' Solicitors, Messrs. Digby and Liddle, 1, Circus-place, Finsbury-pavement, E.C.

At the Mart, on Friday, Oct. 2[illegible], at two.

WOOD-GREEN, &c.– In 11 lots.– Valuable Freehold Tobacco Manufactory, close to Wood-green station, with all the necessary plant and machinery and stabling for [illegible] horses, together with the goodwill of the old-established business. A detached Residence known as Cavendish House. Also the Leases and Goodwills of the Wholesale and Retail Tobacco and Cigar Businesses carried on at No. [illegible], [illegible]-street, No. [illegible], Wigmore-street, No. 2, Carlton Bridge, Westbourne Park, No. [illegible], [illegible]-street, No. [illegible], High-road, Kilburn, No. [illegible], [illegible], Whitechapel, and No. [illegible], Walworth-road. Also a Profit Rental of £[illegible] per annum, arising from [illegible], Old-street.– Vendors' Solicitors, Messrs. Lawrence, Baker, and Waldron, 14, Old Jewry-chambers, E.C.

Particulars of the respective Solicitors, and of the Auctioneers, 11, Queen Victoria-street, E.C.

At Nominal Reserves.– Finsbury Park and Forest-gate.

MESSRS. HALL and GOULD are favoured with instructions to SELL by AUCTION, at the MART, Tokenhouse-yard, E.C., TO-MORROW, Sept. 13, 1888, at two o'clock precisely, the following desirable long LEASEHOLD RESIDENCES:

FINSBURY PARK.– The compact and pleasantly-situated semi-detached Villa Residence, No. 4, Manor-villas, Seven Sisters-road, Finsbury Park (two minutes' walk from Finsbury Park, and close to Finsbury Park station on the Great Northern Railway, and Stamford-hill station on the Great Eastern Railway). Long garden front and rear, small greenhouse. Held for an unexpired term of about 7[illegible] years, and let to a responsible tenant at an inadequate rental.

FOREST-GATE.– The attractive semi-detached and double-fronted bijou Residence, of pleasing elevation, occupying a cheerful and select position, No. [illegible], Windsor-road, two minutes' walk from Forest-gate station, Great Eastern Railway. Large garden front and rear, and fitted with bath room and other modern improvements. Held for an unexpired term of about [illegible] years at a moderate ground rent. Possession of this property will be given upon completion of purchase.

Particulars and conditions of sale can be had of W. R. Hatmore, Esq., Solicitor, [illegible], Bishopsgate-street Within; at the Mart; or of the Auctioneers, Messrs. Hall and Gould, 13[illegible] and 1[illegible], Temple-chambers, Temple-avenue, E.C.

Unreserved Sale of Wines and Spirits, at the Sale Rooms, Mincing-lane, E.C., To-morrow, Sept. 13, 1888, at one o'clock precisely.

MESSRS. SCOTT, WRIGHT, and CO., Sworn Brokers, of 33 and 3[illegible], Great Tower-street, are instructed to SELL, on above date, (in all) [illegible] lots of WINES and SPIRITS, viz., in bond, [illegible] hhds., qrs., and octaves; [illegible] cases scotch and Irish whisky, make by well-known distillers and ranging from one to five years old; [illegible] hhds. and quarters, [illegible] cases brandy, of the 1875, 1878, 1882, and 1884 vintages; [illegible] puns., hhds., and barrels Jamaica and vatted rum, including Wedderburn's and others; [illegible] pipes, hhds. and qrs. port and sherry, shipped by Martinez, Alley, Silva and Cosens, Gould, Campbell, [illegible] Gordon, and others; [illegible] cases Geneva, two hhds. claret; and, duty paid, 1,[illegible] dozens and cases, including several bins of choice old bottled port and sherry, shipped by Martinez, Cockburn, Thompson and Croft, Gould, Campbell, [illegible] Gordon, and others; champagne, the brands of Piper, Heidsieck, and Cliquot, Château Mouton d'Armailhacq, Pauillac, Gervais, and other fine clarets, Burgundy, Madeira, whisky, brandy, &c., for full particulars of which see catalogues, now ready, and may be had on application. Goods in bond on view now; samples will be on show on and after the 12th inst., at the Sample Rooms, 3[illegible], Great Tower-street.

Early Sale.– Without Reserve.– No. [illegible], Warwick-gardens, Kensington, W.

MESSRS. JNO. W. MOBLEY and LETTS will SELL by AUCTION, as above, TO-MORROW, Sept. 13, 1888, at one o'clock precisely, the well-made FURNITURE and EFFECTS, comprising brass and iron bedsteads, clean bedding, blankets, quilts, &c., japanned decorated bed-room suite, handsome [illegible] walnut wardrobe, plate-glass door, [illegible] en suite, marble top, a massive solid brass full-size bedstead, spring and hair mattresses, Spanish mahogany carved tallboy chests of drawers, walnut overmantels, tapestry, bordered Brussels, and other carpets, a rich-toned full-compass pianoforte in ebonised case by Weber and [illegible], Early English drawing and dining room suites in walnut and mahogany with leather seats and backs, [illegible] noble Early English sideboard in walnut, marble timepieces, bronze Marli horses, carved walnut glazed bookcase, telescope dining tables, superior Persian saddle-bag easy chairs, occasional tables, rich tapestry curtains, mahogany hall furniture, china, glass, and usual effects.– On view this day and morning of sale. Catalogues of the Auctioneers, 10[illegible], Earl's-court-road, S.W. (Telephone 5,[illegible]7.)

On View.– Sale To-morrow.– Removed from 1[illegible], Southwick-crescent. By order of the Executor.– Excellent Furniture, cottage pianoforte, a capital orchestrion with three barrels, in walnut-wood case, marqueterie kidney-shaped pedestal writing table, several cabinets, whatnots, centre, occasional, and Sutherland tables, Turkey and Brussels carpets, mahogany sideboard, dining table and dinner wagon, old English mahogany bookcases, writing tables, sets of chairs in morocco, window curtains, invalid's carrying chair, the appointments of numerous bed rooms, wardrobes, chests of drawers, bedsteads and bedding, a quantity of decorative china, dinner, dessert, and tea services, table glass, and numerous useful effects.

MESSRS. PHILLIPS, SON, and NEALE are instructed to SELL by AUCTION, at their GREAT ROOMS, 7[illegible], New Bond-street, TO-MORROW, Sept. 13, at one o'clock precisely, the excellent FURNITURE for drawing and dining rooms, library, best and secondary bed rooms, and basement offices.– May be viewed, and catalogues had of Reginald Carter, Esq., Solicitor, [illegible], New Inn, W.C., and at the Auctioneers' Great Rooms and Offices, 7[illegible], New Bond-street.

No. [illegible], Hafer-road, Battersea-rise, S.W.– Superior Furniture and Effects, comprising brass and iron bedsteads, feather beds, hair and spring mattresses, clean bedding, maple bed-room suite, mahogany and walnut chests of drawers, mahogany dinner wagon, ebony and gilt drawing-room suite in crimson damask, bookcases, overmantels, chimney glasses, girandoles, gilt console table, dining-room suite in mahogany and morocco leather, small collection of Worcester and other china, gilt and other timepieces, watercolours, oil paintings, photos, brass fenders, tapestry and Brussels carpets, dinner, tea, and dessert services, useful kitchen utensils, and the contents of a well-furnished residence.

MESSRS. FORTESCUE and CO. will SELL by AUCTION, at the above, on FRIDAY, the 14th inst., at two o'clock prompt.– Catalogues on the premises, and of the Auctioneers, [illegible], St. John's-hill, S.W.

Order of Sale at Mart, To-morrow (Thursday), Sept. 13, at two, by

MESSRS. C. C. and T. MOORE.

SHARES and BONDS.– Re John Poulain, Esq., deceased.

Leaseholds.– Albert-street, Shadwell.

Copyholds.– 3 and 4, Manor-court, Ratcliff.

Freehold Land.– Market-street, East Ham.

Freeholds and Leaseholds.– Manning-street and Carr-street, Limehouse.

Freeholds.– Periwinkle-street, Ratcliff.

Leaseholds.– Bloomfield road, Mile-end.

Leaseholds.– Woodpecker-road, New-cross.

Freehold.– Ellesmere-road, Old Ford.

Auction and Estate Agency Offices, 144, Mile-end-road, E.

No. 1[illegible], Queen Anne's-gate, S.W.– Furniture, Fixtures, and effects.

MESSRS. TROLLOPE and SONS (having let the premises) will SELL by AUCTION, on TUESDAY, Sept. 18, at one, the whole of the CONTENTS, consisting of mahogany bed-chamber appointments, easy chairs, sofas, card and occasional tables, cabinets, mahogany sideboard, dining table and chairs, oak hall furniture, Brussels carpets, damask curtains, table china, glass, plated articles, a few choice oil paintings, watercolours, &c., and the basement effects.– On view day prior to and morning of sale. Catalogues of the Auctioneers, 7, Hobart-place, Eaton-square, Halkin-street West, and 1[illegible], Parliament-street, S.W.

Barnes, Archway-street and Westfield.– Corner Baker's shop, shop adjoining, and four houses. Let weekly, the whole producing about £[illegible] per annum.

MESSRS. BRAY, YOUNG, and CO. will SELL by AUCTION, on WEDNESDAY, Sept. 1[illegible], 1888, at seven o'clock in the evening, at the WHITE HART HOTEL, Barnes, the above FREEHOLD and small part COPYHOLD PROPERTY.– Particulars and conditions of sale, when ready, may be obtained of Messrs. Church, Rendell, and Co., Solicitors, [illegible], Bedford-row, London, W.C.; and of the Auctioneers, High-street, Hampton Wick, Middlesex, and [illegible], Warwick-court, High Holborn, London, W.C.

Sale This Day.– No. 1[illegible], Sutherland-avenue, Maida-vale.– Sale of superior Household Furniture, cottage pianoforte, pictures by old masters, antique china, and other effects, by order of the owner, who has let the residence.

MESSRS. MORRIS and CO. are instructed to SELL by AUCTION, without reserve, on the PREMISES, as above, THIS DAY, at one o'clock precisely, the well-made HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE and EFFECTS.– On view. Catalogues on the premises, and of the Auctioneers, 1[illegible], Upper-street, Islington.

Drill Hall, Crouch-end.– Miscellaneous Furniture.

MESSRS. ROUCH and PARKHOUSE will SELL, at the DRILL HALL, Broadway, Crouch-end, N., on SATURDAY, Sept. 22, at two o'clock sharp, FURNITURE and EFFECTS removed from several residences, drawing, dining, and bed room suites, sideboards, chiffonniers, tables, brass and other bedsteads, bedding, Brussels and other carpets, kitchen utensils, &c. Catalogues of the Auctioneers, Crouch-end, N., and [illegible], Queen Victoria-street, E.C.

Order of Sale, at the Mart, Tokenhouse-yard, E.C., This Day, at two o'clock, by

MESSRS. WILLMOTT and WOOD.

1. Nos. [illegible], 20, 21, 22, and 23, Alpha-place, North Kilburn.
2. Nos. 1, 2, 3, and 4, Carlton-villas, Fairfield-road, Edmonton.
3. Nos. [illegible] and [illegible], Cambridge-terrace, The Hyde, Edmonton.
4. Nos. 13, 14, 15, and 16, Hyde-side-terrace, Edmonton.

No. 411, High Holborn, W.C.– Weekly Saturday Sales. Established A.D. 18[illegible].

MESSRS. BULLOCK will SELL, on 15th inst., at twelve o'clock, useful HOUSEHOLD and OFFICE FURNITURE, superior plate-glass shop cases and miscellaneous effects from various sources. Catalogues and view Friday.

This Day.– [illegible], [illegible]-street, opposite Wells-street.

MESSRS. PORTER and WATT will SELL by AUCTION, THIS DAY, at one o'clock, [illegible] lots of superior Household Furniture, carpets, pianofortes, and useful effects, removed from various private residences, part under bill of sale.– Catalogues on application.

Eastern Auction Mart, 11[illegible], Brick-lane, Spitalfields, E.

MESSRS. A. E. SAVAGE and SON, THIS EVENING, five for six, the usual large assemblage genuine FURNITURE and other PROPERTY (part distrained). Above sale nightly.

Woodbury, Hendon-lane, Finchley.– A desirable semi-detached Family Residence, containing spacious entrance hall, three reception rooms, six bed rooms, a dressing room, large bath room and lavatory with hot and cold water supply, two water-closets, and good domestic offices; large well-stocked garden of about three-quarters of an acre.– The property commands splendid views of the surrounding country, and is within a few minutes' walk of Finchley Station, Great Northern Railway. There is an excellent tennis ground with six good courts, in a park-like field opposite.

MESSRS. RANDALL, BEARD, and BAKER will SELL the above valuable PROPERTY by AUCTION, at the MART, Tokenhouse-yard, E.C., on MONDAY, Sept. 17 next, at two o'clock precisely.– Printed particulars and conditions of sale may be obtained of Messrs. Powell and Goodall, Solicitors, 2[illegible], Essex-street, W.C., and, together with orders to view, of the Auctioneers, 6[illegible], Basinghall-street, E.C., and East Finchley, N.

By order of the Trustee.– High-class Investments in good Freehold and Leasehold Properties.

MESSRS. RANDALL, BEARD, and BAKER have been favoured with instructions to submit to PUBLIC AUCTION, at the MART, Tokenhouse-yard, E.C., on MONDAY, Sept. 17 next, at two o'clock precisely, in separate lots, the following desirable PROPERTIES. East Finchley.– Three well-built Freehold Villa Residences, situate and being Langton Villa, [illegible] Villa, and Wigstown Villa, Leicester-road; two attractive long Leasehold Houses, being The Elms, The Hollies, The Cedars, [illegible], and [illegible], Fortis-green-road, and 10 well-built, desirable Villa Residences, in the Parkhall-road. The properties, which are substantially built of red brick and stone dressings, are conveniently situate in this healthy and rapidly-increasing district, within five minutes' walk of East Finchley Station, Great Northern Railway; and two minutes from omnibus to City and West-end. Excellently arranged and fitted, and in complete order and repair. All let to responsible tenants, on agreements, at average rentals of £[illegible], £[illegible], and £[illegible] per annum, the whole producing an income of £[illegible] per annum.– Printed particulars can be obtained of Messrs. Kingsbury and Turner, Solicitors, 1[illegible] and 1[illegible], Brixton-road, S.W., and [illegible], George-street, Portman-square, W.; Messrs. Beard and Sons, Solicitors, 1[illegible], Basinghall-street, E.C.; and of the Auctioneers, 6[illegible], Basinghall-street, E.C., and East Finchley, N.

Walthamstow, at a very low reserve.– Close to Hoe-street Station, on Great Eastern Railway.– A valuable Freehold Building Site, together with buildings thereon, consisting of a commodious family residence and two houses and shops adjoining, occupying a capital position facing Leyton-green, and having a frontage to the main road of 1[illegible]ft., and a total area of over 1[illegible],[illegible] superficial feet.

MESSRS. RANDALL, BEARD, and BAKER will SELL the above valuable PROPERTY by AUCTION, at the MART, Tokenhouse-yard, E.C., on MONDAY, Sept. 17 next, at two o'clock precisely.– Printed particulars, with plan, may be obtained of G. C. [illegible], Esq., Solicitor, 2[illegible], Lincoln's Inn-fields, W.C.; and of the Auctioneers, 6[illegible], Basinghall-street, E.C., and East Finchley, N.

Primrose-hill (close to this favourite expanse).– Family Residence, 1[illegible], Elsworthy-terrace, Elsworthy-road, Primrose-hill-road.– It contains three reception rooms, bath room, six bed rooms, and domestic apartments; garden in rear. Overlooking pretty meadows and Primrose-hill. Lease 7[illegible] years; ground rent only £[illegible] per annum.

MESSRS. DOWSETT and CO. are instructed to SELL the above by AUCTION, at the MART, City, on TUESDAY, Oct. 9, at two.– Particulars may be obtained at the Mart; of Messrs. Todd, Dennes, and Lamb, Solicitors, 2[illegible], Chancery-lane; and of Messrs. Dowsett and Co., Auctioneers, 3, Lincoln's Inn-fields.

Wimbledon (on the slope of the hill).– The pleasant detached Residence, The Cedars, Denmark-hill, Worple-road, which is built on two floors only, and contains three reception rooms, seven bed rooms, bath room, and domestic apartments. It has fruit and pleasure gardens. Lease about [illegible] years.

MESSRS. DOWSETT and CO. are instructed to SELL the above by AUCTION, at the MART, City, on TUESDAY, Oct. 9, at two.– Particulars may be obtained at the Mart; of Messrs. Kennedy, Hughes, and Kennedy, Solicitors, 1, Clement's Inn; and of Messrs. Dowsett and Co., Auctioneers, 3, Lincoln's Inn-fields.

No. 2[illegible], Abbey-road, St. John's-wood.– Superior Residence, with possession at Christmas.

MESSRS. DOWSETT and CO. are instructed to SELL by AUCTION, at the MART, Tokenhouse-yard, City, on TUESDAY, Oct. 9, 1888, at two o'clock precisely, the above family RESIDENCE, which occupies a pleasant position, looking down a road in front, and a series of gardens in the rear. It contains four reception rooms, butler's pantry, nine bed and dressing rooms, bath room, &c.– Particulars and conditions of sale may be obtained at the Mart; of Messrs. Young, Jackson, and Beard, Solicitors, 12, Essex-street, Strand; and of Messrs. Dowsett and Co., Auctioneers, 3, Lincoln's Inn-fields.

Westerham.– Freehold Building Land.– Advances made for building. Free conveyances given. Only 10 per cent. need be paid at once. The land has dry chalk soil, lies very high, and commands a grandly picturesque view.

MESSRS. DOWSETT and CO. are instructed to SELL by AUCTION, at the MART, City, on TUESDAY, Oct. 9, at two:

A. 2[illegible] Lots, 20ft. by 200ft. each.
B. [illegible] Lots of woodland, [illegible] acres.
C. [illegible] Lots, [illegible] acres, with large oak trees.
D. [illegible] Lots, [illegible] acres (one for a store).
E. [illegible] Lots, [illegible] acre each.
F. [illegible] Lot, [illegible]a. [illegible]r. [illegible]p., with carriage drive, terrace, and gardener's cottage.

Particulars, plan, and conditions of sale may be obtained at the Mart; of Messrs. Watson and Dendy, Solicitors, Newcastle-on-Tyne; of Mr. A. U. Higgings, [illegible], Bedford-row; and of Messrs. Dowsett and Co., Auctioneers, 3, Lincoln's Inn-fields.

Dissolution of Partnership.– Hatcham Brewery, New-cross.– This well-known Steam Brewery, doing a family and general trade of [illegible] barrels per annum, Leasehold for a long term of years, including the fixed plant, brewery, stabling, dwelling houses, tap house, &c.; also seven beer houses.

MESSRS. GREEN and SON will SELL by AUCTION, at the MART, on FRIDAY, Sept. 14, at one for two precisely, in one lot (unless previously disposed of by private contract), the HATCHAM BREWERY, Pomeroy-street, New-cross-road, fitted with a 2[illegible]-quarter steam plant, and the necessary buildings, stabling, offices, tap-house, and dwelling houses, which are held under a lease for a long term of years; also seven leasehold beerhouses in the immediate neighbourhood. The rolling stock, loose plant, casks, horses, vans, drays, together with the goodwill, will be included in the sale, and possession will be given on completion of the purchase.– Particulars may be obtained of Messrs. John Holmes and Son, Solicitors, 3[illegible], Clement's-lane, Lombard-street; of J. T. Jennings, Esq., Solicitor, 17, Holborn; and of Messrs. Green and Son, Auctioneers and Surveyors, 2[illegible] and 2[illegible], St. Swithin's-lane.

By order of the Executrix of the late Robert James Grove.– 3[illegible], Upper Gloucester-place, Marylebone-road.

MESSRS. GREEN and SON will SELL by AUCTION, on the above PREMISES, on MONDAY, Sept. 17, at one, the FURNITURE and EFFECTS, including bedroom appointments, [illegible]ft. mahogany wardrobe, dining and drawing room suites, chimney glasses, carpets, dining tables, chiffonniers, a double-barrel gun by Mortimer, dinner and dessert services, glass, kitchen utensils, &c.– Catalogues of Messrs. Green and Son, 2[illegible] and 2[illegible], St. Swithin's-lane.

By order of Executors.– Mitcham, within 1[illegible] minutes' walk of Mitcham Junction Station, on the L.B. and S.C. Ry.

MESSRS. H. BOWDITCH and CO. are favoured with instructions to SELL by AUCTION, at the GREYHOUND HOTEL, Croydon, TO-MORROW, Sept. 13, 1888, at seven o'clock p.m., six capital LEASEHOLD COTTAGES, with bay windows, known as 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, and 6, Cecil-terrace, Bond's-lane, Mitcham. Held for a term of [illegible] years unexpired, at a moderate ground rent. All let, and producing a gross rental of £7[illegible] per annum.– Particulars and conditions of sale can be obtained of Messrs. Norris, Allens, and Chapman, Solicitors, 2[illegible], Bedford-row, London, W.C.; at the Greyhound Hotel, Croydon; and of the Auctioneers, [illegible], George-street, Croydon.

By order of Trustees.– East Croydon.– Valuable Leasehold Property, for occupation or investment, centrally situate, within three minutes' walk of New and East (main line), and seven of West Croydon Stations.

MESSRS. H. BOWDITCH and SON are favoured with instructions to SELL by AUCTION, at the GREYHOUND HOTEL, Croydon, TO-MORROW, Sept. 13, 1888, at seven o'clock p.m., a well-built LEASEHOLD semi-detached RESIDENCE, known as Latrobe, Dingwall-road, Croydon, containing six bed rooms, two dressing rooms, two reception rooms, and excellent domestic offices. Let at the inadequate rental of £4[illegible] per annum for three years, from Sept. 29, 1886. Held on lease for 77 years to run at a moderate ground rent. Possession can be had on completion of the purchase.– Particulars and conditions of sale may be had of Messrs. Knocker, Knocker, and Hoicroft, Solicitors, Sevenoaks, Kent; at the Greyhound Hotel, Croydon; and of the Auctioneers, [illegible], George-street, Croydon.

By order of the Mortgagees.

MESSRS. NORMAN, SON, and BOWEN will SELL by AUCTION, at the MART, Tokenhouse-yard, E.C., on TUESDAY, Sept. 18, at two, the following:

KINGSTON.– A Freehold Dwelling House, in Avenue-road, Fairfield. Let at £[illegible] per annum.

WALTHAMSTOW.– Six Dwelling Houses, Nos. 1 to 6, Munster-terrace, Telford-road. Producing £[illegible] per annum. Term [illegible] years. Low ground rent.

KILBURN.– Two capital Houses, with stone facings, Nos. 9 and 11, Ariel-road, Iverson-road. One let at £[illegible], one in hand. Term [illegible] years. Low ground rent.

Particulars of Messrs. Duffield and Bruty, Solicitors, [illegible], Tokenhouse-yard, and of the Auctioneers, [illegible], Aldersgate-street, City.

Forest-hill.– The well-built semi-detached Residence, No. 1[illegible], Stanstead-road, opposite Brockley-road. Let at £[illegible], but worth £[illegible] per annum; lease [illegible] years; low ground rent.

MESSRS. NORMAN, SON, and BOWEN will SELL the above by AUCTION, at the MART, City, on TUESDAY, Sept. 18, at two.– Particulars of Messrs. Jones and Forester, Solicitors, Malmesbury; and of the Auctioneers, [illegible], Aldersgate-street, E.C.

By order of the Lord Mayor's Court and others.

MESSRS. NORMAN, SON, and BOWEN will SELL by AUCTION, at their ROOMS, [illegible], Aldersgate-street, TO-MORROW, on SEPT. 13, at one o'clock, the PLANT of a GASFITTER, lathes, vices, lamps, stoves, &c., fixtures and fittings of a restaurant, [illegible], counters, tables, and chairs, household furniture, mahogany sideboard, gasaliers, and valuable china, carpets, bedding, curtains, &c.

Sunbury-on-Thames (close to the river).– A commodious old-fashioned Residence, with possession.

MESSRS. JONES, LANG, and CO. will SELL by AUCTION, on THURSDAY, Sept. 27, at the MAGPIE HOTEL, Sunbury, at six o'clock precisely, the valuable detached old-fashioned COPYHOLD family RESIDENCE, known as Church Villa, Sunbury-on-Thames, being within one minute's walk of the River Thames, and consisting of dining room, double drawing room, billiard room, and eight bed rooms, with the usual offices and large garden, the kitchen garden being well stocked with fruit trees.– To be viewed by cards only. Particulars, with plan and conditions of sale, can be had at the Magpie Hotel; of Mr. C. E. Goddard, Solicitor, Sunbury; and of the Auctioneers, [illegible], King-street, Cheapside, and 10[illegible], Leadenhall-street, E.C.

Woodford.– The Woodlands.

MESSRS. WHITTINGHAM and SONS will SELL by AUCTION, on the PREMISES, on TUESDAY and WEDNESDAY, Sept. 18 and 19, at one o'clock each day, the superior HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE and EFFECTS, comprising bed-room suites, handsome winged wardrobes, cheval glass, dressing table, double washstands, brass and iron bedsteads, walnut cottage piano (good condition), drawing-room suite (in blue velvet), mahogany couch and dining chairs (in morocco), some fine oil paintings, handsome chimney mirrors, vases and candelabra, kitchen utensils and entire contents of residence.– Catalogues of the Auctioneers, 3, Bishopsgate-street, E.C.

On View.– By order of the Executors.– Removed from Gresham [illegible].

MESSRS. BAKER and SONS have received instructions to SELL by AUCTION, at their SALE ROOMS, No. 3, Acre-lane, Brixton, TO-MORROW, at one o'clock precisely, an assemblage of first-class FURNITURE, comprising bed-room appointments of every description, two full-compass cottage pianofortes, easy chairs, couches, sideboards, cabinets, overmantels, bookcases, two superior dining tables, chairs, carpets, valuable pictures, ornaments, books, jewellery, cigars, and ... drawing-room apparel, kitchen requisites, and other items too numerous to mention.– On view to-day and to-morrow morning, and catalogues may be had of the Auctioneers, 2 and 3, Acre-lane, Brixton, S.W.

Sale This Day (Wednesday).– By order of the Owner.– 43[illegible], Commercial-road.– Superior Furniture and Effects, Spanish mahogany, walnut, and other bed-room suites, bedsteads and bedding, carpets, piano-forte by Broadwood, drawing and dining room suites, a selection of paintings, and a multiplicity of ornamental items.

MESSRS. JACOBS and SONS will SELL by AUCTION, on the PREMISES, as above, at one o'clock sharp.

To-morrow.– No. 3, Tysoe-street, Spa-fields, Clerkenwell.

MESSRS. FURBER, PRICE, and FURBER will SELL, as above, TO-MORROW (Thursday), Sept. 13, at eleven for twelve, the capital HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE, cottage pianoforte, walnut suite, and effects, and the Plant of a Working Jeweller.– Auction Offices, 2, Warwick-court, Gray's Inn.

MR. EDWARD WOOD will offer for SALE by AUCTION, at the MART, Tokenhouse-yard, E.C., on MONDAY, Oct. 15, at two o'clock, the following desirable PROPERTIES:

NOTTING HILL.– No. 12, Silchester-terrace.
CHELSEA.– Nos. 6 and 10, Shalcomb-street.
KILBURN.– Nos. 11[illegible], 11[illegible], and 117, Canterbury-road.
HACKNEY.– Nos. 1[illegible], 10[illegible], and 11, Tudor-grove.
KENTISH TOWN.– No. [illegible], Grafton-road.
BROMLEY-BY-BOW.– No. [illegible], Marner-street.
WEST HAM PARK.– No. 1[illegible], The Portway.
DORSET SQUARE.– No. [illegible], Boston-place.
CAMBERWELL.– Nos. 1[illegible], 1[illegible], and 17, Leipsic-road.
STOCKWELL.– No. [illegible], Binfield-road.
HORNSEY.– No. [illegible], Digby-road.
SHEPHERD'S-BUSH.– No. [illegible], Uxbridge-road.
BRIGHTON.– No. 5, Finsbury-road.

Full particulars and conditions of sale may be obtained of Messrs. Shaen, Roscoe, Massey, and Co., 8, Bedford-row, W.C.; at the Auction Mart, Tokenhouse-yard; and of the Auctioneer, 4, Ludgate-hill, E.C.

No. 91, Rewbrook-road, Camden-road, N.W.– Useful Household Furniture and Effects, comprising dining and drawing room suites, bed room suites, Brussels and other carpets, cottage piano in walnut-wood case, pictures, china, glass, and other effects, which will be sold by Auction, by

MR. DEVERELL, on the PREMISES, as above, on TUESDAY, Sept. 18, 1888, at one o'clock prompt. Catalogues can be obtained on the premises, and at the Auctioneer's Offices, [illegible], Camden-road, N.W., and [illegible], Crouch-end-hill, N.– On view day prior to sale.

No. 2[illegible], Mecklenburgh-square.– On View.– The superior modern Contents of the Residence.

MR. W. HOLLINGSWORTH will SELL by AUCTION, on the PREMISES, TO-MORROW, at one, the whole of the FURNITURE, comprising drawing, dining, and bed room suites, sideboards, chiffonniers, dining, and other tables, bedsteads and bedding, Brussels and other carpets, hall and kitchen fixtures and various effects. Catalogues at the House, or of the Auctioneer, 1[illegible], High Holborn.

Absolute Sale.– 7, Manor-terrace, College Park, Willesden Junction.– Useful Furniture, [illegible]-octave piano, capital dining, drawing, bed room furniture, [illegible] winged wardrobe, chimney glasses in gilt frames, 12 proof engravings, china and glass and general effects.

MR. GLOVER will SELL, as above, THIS DAY, Sept. 12, at one prompt. View morning of sale. Catalogues, Auction Offices, 5, Mitre-court, Temple, E.C.

Ewins' Auction Rooms, 1[illegible], Upper-street, Islington.– Established 18[illegible]7. By order of the Clerkenwell County Court.

MR. C. W. DAVIES (late Ewins) will SELL by AUCTION, without reserve, at his ROOMS as above, THIS DAY (Wednesday), at one, 2[illegible] lots of genuine HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE, including cottage piano.– On view, and catalogues ready.

Now on View.– Removed from Stoke Newington.– 2[illegible] lots Household Furniture and Effects, 10 Brussels carpet remnants, 10 pulls Brussels carpet, &c.

MR. W. H. HILTON will SELL, TO-MORROW (Thursday) EVENING, at 6.30, at DRAYTON HOUSE ROOMS, Clapton-road, Lower Clapton.

No. [illegible], Oxford-villas, Lower Richmond-road, Putney.– Cottage Pianoforte and about 1[illegible] lots of miscellaneous Household Furniture.

MR. ARTHUR W. TAYLOR will SELL the above by AUCTION, on SATURDAY, Sept. 15, 1888, at two o'clock exact time. Catalogues of the Auctioneer, 11[illegible], High-street, Putney.

This Evening.– Under County Court Warrants.

MR. J. ROBERTSON will SELL by AUCTION, at his ROOMS, THIS EVENING (Wednesday), Sept. 12, at 6.30, [illegible] lots of HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE, horse and van, and other effects. On view. Catalogues at County Court, and of the Auctioneer, Broadway, Tooting.

This Day, at two, at the Mart, E.C.

MR. LEOPOLD FARMER will SELL by AUCTION, the FREEHOLD detached family RESIDENCE, with possession, Strathmore, Westbourne-road, West Hampstead. Rental value £1[illegible]. Auction and Estate Offices, Kilburn, N.W.

MR. LEWIS A. JONES will SELL by AUCTION, at his ROOMS, adjoining Finsbury Park Station, N., TO-MORROW (Thursday) EVENING, at 6.30, a large assemblage of HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE.– On view. Catalogues ready.

Clacton-on-Sea.– Eligible Freehold seaside Building Plots, purchase money payable by easy instalments.

MR. HUGH RUGG will SELL by AUCTION, at the PUBLIC HALL, on MONDAY, Sept. 17, at half-past two o'clock precisely, [illegible] plots of valuable FREEHOLD BUILDING LAND, having frontages to the Marine-parade, Orwell, Beaconsfield, St. Paul's, and [illegible] roads. The plots now offered are well adapted for the erection of villa residences and shops. Free conveyances. Possession on payment of deposit. A train will leave Liverpool-street Station at [illegible] o'clock on morning of sale, calling at Stratford at 10.10 a.m. Return tickets: First class, 6s. 6d.; third class, 3s. 6d. each. Luncheon will be provided at the Royal Hotel, at a moderate tariff.– Tickets and particulars may be had of Messrs. Powell and Burt, Solicitors, 2[illegible] and 2[illegible], St. Swithin's-lane, London, E.C.; at the Offices of the Mortgage and General Land, Building, and Investment Company (Limited), 1, Broad-street-buildings, E.C.; Messrs. Wilson and Whitworth, Broadway House, Stratford; and at the Auctioneer's Offices, 17[illegible], East India-road, Poplar, E., and Rugg's Depository, High-street, Clapham, S.W.

Sale This Day.– West Kensington Park.– No. [illegible], Cromwell-grove, Shepherd's-bush-road (within five minutes of Uxbridge-road and Addison-road stations).– Superior Furniture, oil paintings, two cottage pianofortes, and effects.

MR. OWERS will SELL by AUCTION, on the PREMISES, as above, THIS DAY (Wednesday), Sept. 12, at one o'clock prompt, the superior and costly FURNITURE, contained in the dining and drawing rooms, library, breakfast room, six bed rooms, and kitchen, and including cottage pianofortes by Collard and Collard and Stodart, also pony, trap, harness, and phaeton, as previously advertised.– On view this day till sale time. Catalogues on the premises, or of the Auctioneer, adjoining West Hampstead Station, N.W.

To Builders and others.– Nos. [illegible] and [illegible], The Grove, Hammersmith-broadway.– To clear the ground for the Hammersmith and City Railway Company's new goods station.

MR. W. J. NEWELL will SELL, as above, TOMORROW (Thursday), Sept. 13, at one o'clock precisely, all the excellent BUILDING MATERIALS, comprising large quantities of York stone, paving, landing, coping stones, slates, other chimney-pieces, floor boards, doors, window sashes, slate, stout timber and joists, stove grates, kitchener, [illegible] stock bricks, lead, &c. and other effects.– On view. Catalogues of the Auctioneer, Deptford.

Under Bill of Sale.– 1[illegible], Cambridge-road, Kilburn.– To Furniture Dealers and Dealers in Unredeemed Pledges, &c.

MR. J. MIERS will SELL by AUCTION, TOMORROW (Thursday), on the PREMISES, as above, at twelve for one o'clock, without reserve, the whole of the STOCK of a GENERAL SALESMAN, comprising quantity unredeemed pledges, ladies and gents wearing apparel, beds, blankets, sheets, oil paintings, engravings, clocks, bronzes, boots, shoes, carpets, furniture of all descriptions, new and second-hand.– On view day prior and morning of sale. Catalogues on the premises, and of the Auctioneer, 1[illegible], Wandsworth-road, Clapham.

To Fancy Dealers, Tailors, Hairdressers, and Showmen.– Stock of Life-size and other Wax Mechanical Figures, wax groups, [illegible] life-size busts and heads, 2,[illegible] wax dolls, dressed and undressed, glass show-cases, and fixtures.

CHADWICK and SONS will SELL by AUCTION, by order of Mr. Edwards, who is retiring, on TUESDAY, Sept. 25, at twelve, and following days, on the PREMISES, 41 to 43, Waterloo Bridge-road, the whole of the valuable stock of WAX FIGURES, including life-size figures of the Queen, Lord Salisbury, Disraeli, Gladstone, Archer, [illegible], &c., richly carved and gilt model of George IV. bedstead with mechanical figures, musical party in case, and multiplicity of curious articles.– On view. Catalogues had at the Auctioneers' Offices, 3[illegible], St. Martin's-lane, W.C.

Superior Furniture, seven-octave cottage pianos, drawing suites, chiffonniers with glass backs, centre ottoman, pictures, bronzes, overmantels, carpets, curtains, sideboards, dining tables, dining-room suites, inlaid marqueterie and Chippendale furniture, bedroom suites, brass bedsteads, bedding, kitchen requisites, also office tables, mahogany office counter, and numerous effects.

CHADWICK and SONS will SELL by AUCTION, on FRIDAY NEXT, at twelve, at their ROOMS, 3[illegible], St. Martin's-lane, Charing-cross, the superior FURNITURE and EFFECTS of four residences.– On view. Catalogues had.

Russell-square.– Elegant Furniture, principally supplied by Nesetti, seven-octave piano by Erard, paintings, and effects of the residence.

CHADWICK and SONS will SELL by AUCTION, on TUESDAY, Sept. 18, at twelve, on the PREMISES, 1[illegible], Upper Bedford-place, the whole of the elegant and nearly new FURNITURE of the residence, comprising [illegible]ft. inlaid Early English rosewood cabinets, overmantels, drawing-room suites in silk and plush, centre and occasional tables, carved walnut sideboard with lofty glass back, dinner wagon, telescope dining tables, dining-room chairs in morocco, massive brass bedsteads, clean bedding, carved walnut, mahogany, and ash bed-room suites, winged wardrobes with glass doors, pedestal washstands, cheval duchesses, pile carpets, china, glass, linen, kitchen requisites, and numerous effects.– On view. Catalogues had at the Auctioneers' Offices, 3[illegible], St. Martin's-lane, W.C.

Kent.– Superior Furniture, cottage piano, paintings, silver, plated goods, linen, guns, live and dead farming stock, pack of hounds, hunters, carriages, pedigree bull, [illegible] hop poles, five ricks of hay, and numerous effects.

CHADWICK and SONS will SELL by AUCTION, on the PREMISES, Poplar House and Pound-hill Farm, Frittenden, and The Spills-hill Farm, Staplehurst, Kent, on THURSDAY, Sept. 20, and two following days, at eleven for twelve o'clock, the whole of the superior FURNITURE of the residence, including the drawing, dining, and bed room appointments, [illegible] pictures, old silver, large quantity of table and bed linen, six cows, [illegible] calves, five heifers, [illegible] sheep, [illegible] lambs, seven sows, [illegible] pigs, three horses, poultry, phaeton, dog-cart, five sets of harness, saddles, growing crops, and numerous effects.– On view. Catalogues had on the premises, and at the Auctioneers' Offices, 3[illegible], St. Martin's-lane, Charing-cross, W.C.

No. [illegible], Oxford-street, W.– This Day (Wednesday), Sept. 12, at twelve o'clock precisely, an importation of Antique Furniture and China, by order of Mr. S. Mossel, of Amsterdam.

W. and F. C. BONHAM will SELL by AUCTION, as above, a very fine importation of ANTIQUE FURNITURE and CHINA, comprising inlaid mahogany and marqueterie china and other cabinets, wardrobes, bureaus, secretaires, buffets, tables, chests of drawers, &c., walnut and marqueterie cabinets and bureaus, Chippendale tables and chairs, old carved oak Elizabethan cabinet, blue Oriental china, Old English, French, Worcester, Wedgwood, Leeds, Delft, and other china, old cut-glass, plated ware, brass fenders, Dutch tiles, and various nick-nacks.

No. [illegible], Oxford-street.– To-morrow (Thursday), Sept. 13, at eleven precisely, about 47[illegible] lots of genuine Household Furniture and Effects, removed from Thornton Heath and Addison-road, Notting-hill, and Cambridge-street, Hyde Park-square.– For absolute sale.

W. and F. C. BONHAM will SELL by AUCTION, as above, genuine HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE and EFFECTS, comprising contents of 17 bed chambers, brass and iron bedsteads and bedding, wardrobes, chests of drawers, marble-top washstands and duchesse tables, a very fine gilt console table and glass, chimney glasses, overmantels, large picture rods and cornices, two cottage piano-fortes, [illegible] stop harmonium, grand piano-forte by Broadwood, gasaliers, iron safe, several drawing and dining room suites in silk, satin, velvet, and morocco, sideboards, chiffonniers, Brussels, velvet pile, and other carpets and rugs, china, glass, and kitchen utensils.– On view the day prior, and catalogues post free on application.

No. [illegible], Oxford-street.– On Friday Evening Next, Sept. 14, at six precisely, 30[illegible] lots of Pictures, by old and modern artists.

W. and F. C. BONHAM will SELL by AUCTION, as above, about 30[illegible] lots of PICTURES, including works by and after

Armfield	Syer	Crome	Hobbema
Cooper	D. Foster	Pannini	Wilson
Shayer	Canaletto	Berard	Andrews

and others. Also watercolour drawings, frames, &c.– On view to-morrow, and catalogues post free on application.

This Evening.– No. [illegible], Wardour-street, and 11, 12, and 13, Leicester-street, Leicester-square.– This Evening, Sept. 12, at five o'clock, an immense assemblage of Household Furniture and Effects, removed from various private residences for convenience of sale.

W. and F. C. BONHAM will SELL by AUCTION, as above, 3[illegible] lots of FURNITURE, including drawing, dining, and bed room furniture, Brussels and tapestry carpets, an ebonised show case, [illegible]ft. by [illegible]ft., jewellery, and the usual kitchen requisites.– On view until time of sale.

Butchers, Provision Merchants, Shop Fitters, and others.– By order of the Chief Official Receiver.– In Bankruptcy.– Estate of W. H. Tollervey, Holloway.

IZARD, DAWE, and IZARD will SELL by AUCTION, on FRIDAY NEXT, Sept. 14, at [illegible], HOLLOWAY-ROAD, at twelve, the valuable and nearly new TRADE FITTINGS and UTENSILS of a BUTCHER, comprising French chopping blocks, [illegible]-stone lever platform weighing machine, and two valuable patent ice safes, by Baker, cashier's desk, and other effects.– Auction Offices, 147, Cannon-street, E.C.

IZARD, DAWE, and IZARD beg to call special attention to the two valuable ICE SAFES by Baker, and counter fitting of mahogany cash desk on wheels, in above SALE.– Auction Offices, 147, Cannon-street, E.C.

Jewellers, Watch and Clock Makers, Opticians, Dealers, Shopfitters, and others.– In Bankruptcy.– By order of the Official Receiver.– Estate of F. Bailey, Wood-green, N.

IZARD, DAWE, and IZARD will SELL by AUCTION, at 6, MARKET-TERRACE, Wood-green, N., on TUESDAY NEXT, Sept. 18, at one, the valuable STOCK IN TRADE of a JEWELLER, Watch and Clock Maker, a large variety of jeweller's sundries.– Auction Offices, 147, Cannon-street, E.C.

Grocers, Tea Dealers, Gilbey's Agents, Shop Fitters, Furniture Buyers, and others.– By order of the Proprietor.– Absolute sale, owing to expiration of lease.– 2[illegible], Caledonian-road, N.

IZARD, DAWE, and IZARD will SELL by AUCTION, on the PREMISES, as above, on WEDNESDAY, Sept. 19 inst., at twelve o'clock precisely, the stock in trade of GROCERIES, teas, Gilbey's wines and spirits, bottled beers, and general goods of the usual description, the well-made trade fixtures and utensils by Gilbert, also the superior household furniture.– Auction Offices, 147, Cannon-street, E.C.

Grocers, Tea-dealers, Italian Warehousemen, Shop Fitters, Furniture Buyers, and others.– By order of the Proprietor.– Absolute Sale, owing to expiration of lease.– No. 5, Bank-buildings, High-street, Wandsworth.

IZARD, DAWE, and IZARD will SELL by AUCTION, on the PREMISES, as above, on TUESDAY, Sept. 25 inst., at twelve, stock of GROCERIES, [illegible]lbs. teas, Italian and general goods, well-made mahogany trade fixtures and utensils, superior household furniture, pianoforte by Metzler, and other effects.– Auction Offices, 147, Cannon-street, E.C.

Amilly (Loiret), France.

TO be SOLD by AUCTION, at noon, SEPT. 16, 1888, the SILK WASTE SPINNING MILL called Gros Moulin, and all the valuable land (about 3[illegible] acres), dwelling houses, buildings, water-power, machinery (6,000 spindles and preparation, by Fairbairn, Greenwood, Knoblin, and best makers), stock in trade, &c., gas works, &c. Owing to dissolution of partnership the whole will be offered for 300,000f. (£12,000). N.B.– This valuable and well-preserved estate, with buildings thereon, in perfect repair, mill in full working order, is situated on the Orleans Railway, Montargis Station, about 8[illegible] miles from Paris.– The property can be viewed on application to Monsieur Desvaux de Lyf, Notaire, Montargis, or full particulars will be given by Geo. Thomas and Co., 2[illegible], Dunsgate, Manchester.

Sale This Day and To-morrow.– Taylor's Auction Rooms, 2[illegible], Sloane-street, Belgravia.– Removed from Tedworth-square, Holland Park, and elsewhere.– A full-sized billiard table by Burroughes and Watts, bed-room suites, bedding, carpets, [illegible]ft. mahogany wardrobe, three cottage pianofortes by Allison and others, drawing-room suite in saddlebag, dining-room suite in morocco, handsome ebonised buffet, pictures, china, glass, kitchen utensils, and effects, which will be Sold by Auction by

EDMUND ROBINS and HINE (of 5, Waterloo-place, Pall-mall), at TAYLOR'S AUCTION ROOMS, 2[illegible], Sloane-street, S.W., THIS DAY and TO-MORROW, at one.

On Account of Whom it may Concern.– 1,[illegible] cases and 50,000 tins Sardines, [illegible] doz. bottled ale, 1,[illegible] cases Swiss milk, also window glass, tomato sauce, and sundries, being salvage goods, ex Henry Evelina (s.), Yesseta (s.), and London Dock fire.

ROBERT LYON and CO. will SELL the above by PUBLIC AUCTION, on FRIDAY NEXT, Sept. 14, at two p.m., at the COMMERCIAL SALE ROOMS, Mincing-lane.– Goods on view on Thursday and Friday, at the London Docks, &c. Catalogues at 2, St. Peter's-alley, Cornhill, London, E.C.

Exeter.– Important and valuable collection of Oil Paintings by eminent old masters, a large collection of rare coins, genuine old wines of noted vintages from 18[illegible] to 1851, furniture and effects.

THOMAS MARTIN will SELL by AUCTION, at 6, BARNFIELD-CRESCENT, Exeter, on TUESDAY and WEDNESDAY, Sept. 18 and 19, at eleven.– Catalogues of the Auctioneer, Bedford-circus, Exeter.

To-morrow.– To Auctioneers, Dealers, and Gentlemen Furnishing.– On behalf of the Makers.– [illegible] lots, comprising dining room, drawing room, and bed room furniture of all descriptions, upwards of 50 overmantels, and other effects.

THE AUCTION COMPANY (established 1879) will SELL the above, at [illegible], GREAT EASTERN-STREET, Bishopsgate-street, E.C., TO-MORROW (Thursday), commencing at twelve prompt.

Removed from Kay-road, Stockwell.– Under Bill of Sale.– To-morrow (Thursday) Evening, at five precisely.

FREDERICK FRANCE and SONS will SELL by AUCTION, at their ELEPHANT and CASTLE AUCTION ROOMS, Walworth-road, the CONTENTS of the above private RESIDENCE, comprising cottage pianoforte by Oetzmann, dining-room suites in leather and hair cloth, carpets, rugs, chimney glasses, dining tables, bedsteads, clean bedding, and the usual miscellaneous and decorative items, in all over 30[illegible] lots.– On view. Catalogues ready.

THE AGENCY COMPANY, 12[illegible], Shoreditch, will SELL, THIS EVENING, three large mahogany DOUBLE DESKS, ebonised showcase 1[illegible]ft. by [illegible]ft., with glass panelled doors, &c., furniture, and miscellaneous items.– On view.

TO CYCLISTS.– Great AUCTION SALE of over 200 BICYCLES, Tricycles, Tandems, &c., on THURSDAY and FRIDAY, Sept. 13 and 14, at 5.30 p.m. each day, at Mr. SYDNEY LEE'S, Quality-court, Chancery-lane, London, W.C. Entirely without reserve.– Catalogues and full particulars post free.

ALDRIDGE'S, St. Martin's-lane.– Cab Stock.– THIS DAY (Wednesday), Sept. 12, will be SOLD by PUBLIC AUCTION, 10 HORSES, quiet in harness, and out of regular work. Four nearly new Forder shape cabs by Ricketts, forage cart, five sets of harness, chaff machine, goat, and stable sundries.– W. and S. FREEMAN.

ALDRIDGE'S, St. Martin's-lane.– American Trotter.– THIS DAY (Wednesday) will be SOLD by PUBLIC AUCTION, Johnny Long Tail, a black American TROTTING HORSE, record 2.2[illegible], quiet in harness.– W. and S. FREEMAN.

BARBICAN ROYAL REPOSITORY.– Irish Horses.– Mr. RYMILL will SELL by AUCTION, on FRIDAY NEXT, 2[illegible] quick stepping, useful young HARNESS HORSES and HACKS, suitable for professional gentlemen, jobmasters, cab proprietors, tradesmen, and others, the property of Messrs. T. Widger and the Ryans.– On view.

CONTRACTOR'S STOCK.– Owing to the termination of parish contracts, Mr. W. Lambeth, of Fairbough-street, St. George's, E., has instructed Mr. RYMILL to SELL by AUCTION, at ROYAL REPOSITORY, Barbican, E.C., on FRIDAY NEXT, 1[illegible] powerful and active young CART HORSES, in hard condition, and warranted good workers, eight Brick or Rubbish Carts, on springs, nearly new, and 10 sets nearly new Thill Harness of the best town make, also a fast trotting Cob, warranted quiet in harness.– On view to-morrow.

RE R. SHACKELL, Deceased.– Cab Stock.– By order of the Executors of the late Mr. R. Shackell, of Thanet-street, Burton-crescent, Mr. RYMILL will SELL by PUBLIC AUCTION, at his REPOSITORY, Barbican, E.C., on FRIDAY NEXT, 1[illegible] well known, short-legged CAB HORSES, seven Clarence Cabs (very light), and three Hansom Cabs, all in excellent order, and several nearly new, 10 sets of good cab harness, horse cloths, night rugs, stable utensils, and sundries.– On view.

BARBICAN ROYAL REPOSITORY.– By order of Mr. Buchanan, of Upshire Hall, Waltham Abbey, Mr. RYMILL will SELL by AUCTION, on FRIDAY NEXT, five superior active CART HORSES, bay with black points, five and six years old, 16 hands, and warranted good workers, bred by the owner and from regular work on his farm.– On view to-morrow.

BARBICAN ROYAL REPOSITORY.– G.N. and N.E. Railway Horses.– Mr. RYMILL will SELL by AUCTION, at Barbican, E.C., on FRIDAY NEXT, [illegible] CART and VAN HORSES, from the above railway companies, suitable for farmers, contractors, and others.

ELEPHANT and CASTLE HORSE REPOSITORY, 1[illegible], New Kent-road, London.– SALES by AUCTION of HORSES, Carriages, and Harness EVERY MONDAY and THURSDAY, commencing at twelve o'clock. Stalls should be engaged two days before either sale day. Property sold on Monday paid for on the following Thursday, and property sold on Thursday paid for on the following Monday. Cheques forwarded to the country on written request. Sales and valuations in town or country.– GEO. JAS. BRIGGS, Proprietor.

GREAT NORTHERN HORSE REPOSITORY, Cattle Market, London, N.– On FRIDAY, Sept. 14, 1[illegible] COBS and PONIES for SALE, at 1.30. On view and for private sale to-morrow (Thursday).– W. G. GUERRIER and SON, Auctioneers.

STAPLETON'S.– The SALE TO-MORROW (Thursday), at 12.30, will comprise RIDING, Driving, Cart, and Van HORSES, cobs, ponies, carriages, &c. Sales and Valuations in town or country. Bishopsgate Without, City. Estab. 1862.

STAPLETON'S.– Contractor's Stock (in consequence of the completion of a large contract with the L. and N.W. Ry. Company), TO-MORROW (Thursday), by AUCTION, by order of Mr. H. Clarkson, of Newport-street, Lambeth, 2[illegible] very useful upstanding CART and VAN HORSES, mostly young, and all quiet in harness, and good workers; 2[illegible] Brick and Rubbish Carts (many on springs), a nearly new Builder's Cart, and 2[illegible] sets of thill Harness. Worth the attention of contractors, builders' firms, and others.– Now on view. Bishopsgate Without, City.

EDGWARE-ROAD HORSE REPOSITORY, Paddington, W.– SALES by AUCTION of HORSES, CARRIAGES, &c., EVERY TUESDAY and FRIDAY, commencing at one o'clock. Horses received up to eight p.m. on the day prior to sale, and if unsold the entire charge is 5s. 6d. only. Valuations for probate, &c. Horses sold on commission daily. Accounts paid on Mondays and Thursdays, or by post if requested.– HENRY WARD, Proprietor.

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BIRTHS.

ARMSTRONG.– On the 10th inst., at 7, Albert-terrace, Middlesbro', the wife of James Armstrong, jun., of a son.

BOROBEYER.– On the 10th inst., at South Norwood, the wife of John Borobeyer, of a daughter.

BROWN.– On the 10th inst., at Stoford Lodge, Reading, the wife of J. D. Brown, jun., of a son.

CARTER.– On the 16th ult., at Barrackpore, the wife of Surgeon-Major S. H. Carter, of a daughter.

DOUGLASS.– On the 9th inst., at the Scilly Isles, the wife of W. T. Douglass, of a daughter.

DUCKWORTH.– On the 8th inst., at Haslingden, the wife of J. Duckworth, of a son.

MARTIN.– On the 8th inst., at The Vicarage, Stockton-on-Tees, the wife of the Rev. H. Martin, of a son.

NIXON.– On the 28th ult., at Twilton, Oxford, the wife of H. V. Nixon, of a daughter.

PAKINGTON.– On the 8th inst., at Elm Park-gardens, the Hon. Mrs. Pakington, of a son.

PEARCE.– On the 10th inst., at St. Andrew's-terrace, Plymouth, the wife of H. P. Pearce, of a daughter.

PURDON.– On the 10th inst., at Wynnstay-gardens, Kensington, the wife of F. Purdon, of a son.

RICHARDSON.– On the 7th inst., at Dharwar, India, the wife of G. R. Richardson, of a daughter.

TAYLOR.– On the 10th inst., at Roehampton, the wife of C. C. Taylor, of a son.

VALE.– On the 9th inst., at Greenfield Hall, the wife of the Rev. W. T. Vale, of a son.

WILLMOTT.– On the 11th inst., at Wynnefield, Castle-hill, W., the wife of J. W. Willmott, of a son.

MARRIAGES.

ALPE–KAVANAGH.– On the 4th inst., Frank Alpe, of Anerley, Surrey, to Frederica, daughter of Dr. Kavanagh, of Lewisham High-road, Brockley, Kent.

BORLAND–DUGDALE.– On the 3rd inst., at The Priory, Great Malvern, John E. Borland to Mary Eva Dugdale.

DICKINSON–HALL.– On the 4th inst., at St. Mary's Church, Ashley-road, William Dickinson, of Clifton-road, Crouch-end, to Louisa, daughter of the late J. Hall, of Whitehaven.

ETHERIDGE–SQUIRE.– On the 5th inst., at St. Luke's, Westbourne Park, Capt. Henry Whitbread Etheridge, of her Majesty's Indian Naval Retired List, to Mary Ann, daughter of the late C. Squire, of Waterford House, Waterford, Herts.

HENNING–HAMMOND.– On the 6th inst., at the parish church, Leominster, Francis Charles, son of the late Rev. F. N. Henning, of Sherborne, Dorset, to Emily Harriette, daughter of the late J. T. Hammond, of Leominster.

JOHNSTON–ALLENDER.– On the 5th inst., at the parish church, Eastham, Cheshire, George James, son of W. Johnston, of The Woodlands, Ledsham, near Chester, to Agnes May, daughter of the late F. Allender.

LENOX–VIGNOLES.– On the 6th inst., at the Protestant Church, Tours, J. Gordon Lenox, J.P., of Pontypridd, South Wales, to Alice, daughter of H. Vignoles, Esq., of Chateau Rougemont, Tours.

SYKES–SPERRING.– On the 12th inst., at St. Mary's Church, Ealing, London, W., by the Rev. W. F. Oliver, LL.D., James Walter, son of James Sykes, Milnsbridge, Huddersfield, to Kate, elder daughter of Walter John Sperring, Walcot, Mount Park, Ealing.

WEBB–READ.– On July 9, at St. Peter's Church, William-street, Sydney, Frank Piggott Webb, of Woolloomooloo, to Nina Alice Read, of Redfern.

WICKHAM–WILLIAMS.– On the 11th inst., at St. Augustin's, Queen's-gate, Lieut.-Col. Wickham (late 33rd Regt.), to Mary Elizabeth, daughter of the late Rev. F. O. Williams.

WILLIAMS–BATTA.– On Sept. 11, at the Church of St. Alphege, Greenwich, by the Rev. Ronald Bayne, M.A., John Pritchard Williams, R.N., Engineer Officer (retired), to Sylvia, widow of George Batta, of Brussels.

DEATHS.

AIKIN.– On the 6th inst., at Somersham, Hunts, Mary Ann, widow of the late W. O. Aikin, in her 82nd year.

BELL.– On the 11th inst., at the residence of his brother-in-law, 37, Tregunter-road, South Kensington, the Rev. David Bell, M.D., for 33 years vicar of Goole, Yorkshire, aged 80.

BERNARD.– On the 9th inst., at High Hall, Wimborne, Caroline, wife of the Rev. T. D. Bernard, Canon of Wells.

BUSHNELL.– On the 8th inst., at Ayston Hall, Rutland, Eleanor Jane Bushnell.

CARPENTER.– On the 7th inst., at Ormesby St. Margaret, Norfolk, Henry Carpenter, in his 8[illegible]th year.

CHADWICK.– On the 9th inst., at 1[illegible], Windsor-road, Ealing, Jane, widow of the late Benjamin Chadwick, surgeon, of Hayes, Middlesex, aged 8[illegible] years. Interred at Hayes.

CHARLETON.– On Sept. 9, at Fairfield, Hitchin, the residence of his father-in-law, Robert Ash Charleton, of Clifton, Bristol, aged 2[illegible]. No cards.

DICKINSON.– On the 10th inst., at Arboretum-street, Nottingham, Edward Dickinson, aged 6[illegible].

DUNNETT.– On the 9th inst., at Dover, William Dunnett, formerly of Cheapside, London.

EVANS.– On the 12th ult., at Aligarh, India, Alice Atherley, wife of H. F. Evans.

HALL.– On the 9th inst., at Regent-street, William Sparkes Hall, aged 6[illegible].

HIME.– On the 6th inst., at Etretat, France, Robert Douglas Hime, aged 50.

JOHNSON.– On the 9th inst., at Hove, Brighton, Margaret Rebecca, wife of S. P. Johnson, aged 33.

MERRIMAN.– On the 10th inst., at Tottenham, Louisa Catharine, widow of the late S. R. Merriman.

MORGAN.– On the 9th inst., in London, Eliza Morgan, of Norfolk-road, Brighton.

PLETTS.– On the 10th inst., at Ryde, Isle of Wight, Frances Harriet, wife of J. M. Pletts, M.D., aged 34.

RASHDALL.– On the 9th inst., at Eccleston-square, S.W., Edward Montagu Rashdall, aged 2[illegible].

SPURE.– On the 5th inst., at St. Augustine's, Norwich, Maria, relict of T. W. Spure, in her 9[illegible]th year.

STANSFIELD-CROMPTON.– On the 5th inst., at Buckden, Major-Gen. Stansfield-Crompton, aged 5[illegible].

STEPHENS.– On July 12, at Brisbane, George Bligh Stephens, aged 44.

STEWART.– On the 8th inst., at Murdostoun, Lanarkshire, Robert Craig Christie, son of R. K. Stewart.

SYMONDS.– On the 9th inst., at Seaford, Sussex, Anna, wife of H. Symonds, 3rd Batt. Manchester Regt.

WELCH.– On Sept. 11, at 1[illegible], Peckham-grove, Joseph Welch, late of [illegible], High Holborn, aged 67.

WRAY.– On July 2[illegible], at Murree, E. I., Col. Thomas Charge Wray, aged 5[illegible].

YARKER.– On the 7th inst., at Conyngar Hurst, Ulverston, Sarah Jane, daughter of the late J. Yarker.

In Memoriam.

THRUPP.– On Sept. 13, 1881, at his residence, Knowles Tower, Roundwood Park, Willesden, Alfred Thrupp, Esq. In sorrowing memory.

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MERCHANT SEAMEN'S ORPHAN ASYLUM, Snaresbrook.– A GENERAL HALF-YEARLY MEETING of the Governors of this Institution will be held at CANNON-STREET HOTEL, E.C., on MONDAY, the 24th inst., for the purpose of ELECTING CANDIDATES to be received into the Asylum.

EDWARD S. NORRIS, Esq., M.P., in the chair.

The poll will open at twelve noon, and close at two p.m. precisely. Subscriptions are earnestly solicited.

F. W. RAWLINSON, Secretary.

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1. Best Yorkshire Iron.

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1. Engine Buffers.	3. Miscellaneous Tools.
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Tenders must be made on forms copies of which, with specifications, can be obtained on application at these offices, and on payment as follows, viz.: For Class A, 21s. each; Class B, 10s. 6d. each; Class C, 5s. each; and Class D, 2s. 6d. each (which will not be returned).

The Directors do not bind themselves to accept the lowest or any tender.

T. W. WOOD, Secretary.

Offices, 4[illegible], Finsbury-circus, London, E.C., Sept. 12, 1888.

ST. GEORGE'S (Hanover-square) UNION, Middlesex.– Contracts for Provisions, &c.– The Guardians of the Poor of this Union desire to receive TENDERS for SUPPLYING their Infirmary and Workhouse in the Fulham-road, and their Workhouse in the Buckingham Palace-road, during the six months ending March 31 next, with the following GOODS, viz.: Butchers' Meat, flour, grocery, tea, cheesemongery, eggs, fish, vegetables, milk, corn-chandlery, and oilmen's goods. Tenders will also be received for one year, ending Oct. 5, 1889, for Printing, stationery, coals, horse-hire, clock-winding, and repairs, hairdressing and shaving, adjusting scales and weights, and chimney sweeping. Forms, upon which the tenders must be made, can be obtained at my office, and samples of the various articles required may be seen on application to Mr. Cole, the master of the Fulham-road Workhouse, between the hours of ten a.m. and one p.m. The tenders must be delivered to me sealed and properly endorsed before 9.30 a.m. on Thursday, the 27th inst., the day on which they will be opened. The Guardians do not bind themselves to accept the lowest or any tender.

THOMAS WORLOCK, Clerk.

Clerk's Offices, Vestry Hall, Mount-street, Grosvenor-square, W., Sept. [illegible], 1888.

SOUTH METROPOLITAN SCHOOL DISTRICT.

Contracts for Provisions, Coals, Hay, and Grains.– The Board of Management of this School District will meet at the Brighton-road School, Sutton, on Tuesday, the 25th inst., at two o'clock precisely, to receive TENDERS for SUPPLYING the Schools in the Brighton-road and the Banstead-road, Sutton, from Sept. 30, 1888, to March 30, 1889, with FLOUR, yeast, meat, cheesemongery, hay, and tea 12 months from Sept. 30, 1888, to Oct. 5, 1889, with Milk, grains, and coals. Also Tenders for the Supply of Meal and Groceries to the Schools in the Brighton-road and the Banstead-road, Sutton, and at Herne Bay and Witham, from Sept. 30, 1888, to March 30, 1889. Forms of tender, containing all particulars, and the conditions of the contract to be entered upon, may be had on application to the Superintendent of the School in the Brighton-road, Sutton, where samples of the goods to be supplied may be seen. Sealed tenders, addressed to the Managers of the South Metropolitan School District, and endorsed "Tender for ——," to be sent to the Clerk as under, not later than Tuesday, the 25th inst., at twelve o'clock. Persons tendering are not required to be in attendance on the day of meeting. The Managers do not bind themselves to accept the lowest or any other tender.– By order,

HENRY BURGESS, Clerk to the Managers.

South Metropolitan District School, Brighton-road, Sutton, Surrey, Sept. 11, 1888.

FODDER WANTED.– Wanted, TENDERS for a SUPPLY of hay, clover, and mixtures, and also oat straw, which must be bright and clean, for 1[illegible] months from Oct. 1 to July 31, 1889, inclusive. Present weekly consumption, about 5[illegible] loads hay, &c., and [illegible] loads oat straw. The fodder must be equal in standard to be seen at the under-mentioned address, and must be delivered at the Granaries, [illegible]-road, day by day, as required. The contractor must undertake to supply the fodder in such proportions and with such alterations, more or less, as the company may desire.– Tenders must be lodged by ten o'clock in the morning of Thursday, 20th inst., and must be addressed to the Resident Director, The London Tramways Company (Limited), 3[illegible], Camberwell New-road, Camberwell, S.E.

TO FIREWOOD DEALERS.– The Guardians of the Poor of Paddington will, at their meeting on Wednesday, the 26th inst., be prepared to receive TENDERS for the SUPPLY of 5[illegible] fathoms of best YELLOW DEAL ENDS, to be delivered and stacked on the workhouse premises in the Harrow-road. Tenders must be made on forms, which may be obtained of the undersigned, and must be sent in on or before Tuesday, the 25th inst. The Guardians do not pledge themselves to accept the lowest or any tender.– By order,

HENRY F. AVELING, Clerk to the Guardians.

Guardians' Offices, 2[illegible], Harrow-road, W., Sept. 12, 1888.

INDIAN MEDICAL SERVICE.– India Office, Sept. 10, 1888. An EXAMINATION for 1[illegible] appointments as SURGEON in her Majesty's Indian Medical Service will be held in London in February, 1889.

Copies of the regulations for the examination, with information regarding the pay and retiring allowances, &c., of Indian medical officers, may be obtained from the Military Secretary, India Office, London, S.W.

The exact date of the examination will be announced hereafter.

ALLEN JOHNSON, Lieutenant-General, Military Secretary.

THE ROYAL HOSPITAL for CHILDREN and WOMEN, Waterloo Bridge-road, S.E.– COOK REQUIRED. Must have had experience in a public institution. Aged 2[illegible] to 3[illegible]. Must have good references. Apply personally to the Matron, at the Hospital.

R. GARRARD KESTIN, Secretary.

INDOOR PORTER REQUIRED, at the Great Northern Hospital, Holloway-road, N., to take charge of the out-patient department and mortuary. Single man, aged about 30, abstainer preferred. Wages £2[illegible] to £2[illegible], with uniform and washing. Apply by letter only to Secretary, giving particulars of previous employment.

NIGHT PORTER and STOKER WANTED, at the Paddington Workhouse Infirmary, Harrow-road, W. Salary [illegible]s. per week, with supper, breakfast, and uniform. Applicants must be married men, and must possess a knowledge of the management of steam boilers. Particulars as to hours and duties, and forms of application, may be obtained by applying to the Steward of the Infirmary, on or before Tuesday, 18th inst., between the hours of ten a.m. and four p.m.– By order,

R. HAMILTON AVELING, Asstd. Clerk.

Guardians' Offices, 2[illegible], Harrow-road, W., Sept. 12, 1888.

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